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PART 1414—POULTRY

TURKEYS

The order (9 F.R. 13252), issued November 4, 1944, partially suspending War Food Order No. 106, as amended (9 F.R. 7808, 12113; 10 F.R. 103), is hereby terminated; and said War Food Order No. 106, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

§ 1414.5 *Restrictions with respect to turkeys and processed turkeys*—(a) *Definitions*. (1) "Person" means any individual, partnership, association, business trust, corporation, or any organized group of persons, whether incorporated or not.

(2) "Director" means the Director of Marketing Services, War Food Administration.

(3) "Order Administrator" means the person designated by the Director to serve as Order Administrator pursuant to the provisions hereof.

(4) "Deputy Order Administrator" means the person designated by the Director to serve as Deputy Order Administrator pursuant to the provisions hereof.

(5) "Turkey area" means:

(i) Each of the following States: Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, California, Oregon, Washington, Colorado, Utah, Wisconsin, Idaho, Wyoming, Nevada, Montana, and Arkansas;

(ii) The following groups of counties: Augusta, Rockingham, Page, Shenandoah, and Frederick Counties in the State of Virginia; and Hardy, Pendleton, Grant and Hampshire Counties in the State of West Virginia; and

(iii) Each plant of an authorized processor in which such processor is authorized to process turkeys, irrespective of where grown.

(6) "Turkeys" means one or more live turkeys grown or located in a turkey area.

(7) "Processed turkeys" means turkeys killed, bled, and plucked; and such term "processed turkeys" also includes turkeys which have been dressed, eviscerated, quartered or otherwise cut up, or frozen. Such term "processed turkeys" shall also include all live turkeys grown outside of a turkey area, processed, and then moved into any turkey area.

(8) "Process" means to kill, bleed, pluck, dress, eviscerate, quarter or otherwise cut up, or freeze, or any combination of such processes.

(9) "Cold storage" means space equipped to be artificially cooled to a temperature of 10 degrees above zero "Fahrenheit," or below, and in which food commodities are customarily stored (but not operated as a part of an established retail food business, hotel, or other establishment where persons are housed or fed, and not including a refrigerator storage compartment, usually called a locker, having a capacity of not more than 15 cubic feet).

(10) "Authorized processor" means any person holding a letter of authority in force and effect issued to him by the Deputy Order Administrator to process turkeys pursuant to the provisions hereof.

(11) "Wholesale receiver" means any person who accepts delivery of processed turkeys from one or more authorized processors for the account of such processors, or who purchases turkeys from one or more authorized processors.

(12) "Turkey buyer" means any person who purchases turkeys for delivery to one or more authorized processors.

(13) "Governmental agency" means (i) the Armed Services of the United States (excluding for the purposes of this order, United States Army Post Exchanges, Sales Commissaries, United States Navy Ships' Service Departments, and United States Marine Corps Post Exchanges); (ii) the War Food Administration (including, but not being restricted to, any corporate agency thereof); (iii) the War Shipping Administra-

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(14) "Armed Services of the United States" means the Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard of the United States.

(15) "U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center" means:

(i) The Officer in Charge, Field Headquarters, Perishable Branch, Subsistence Division, Office of Quartermaster General, Attention: Poultry Section, 222 West Adams Street, Chicago 6, Illinois; or

(ii) Officer in Charge, Quartermaster Market Center, at any of the following addresses:

Food Terminal Building, Kansas City 15, Kansas, (Phone—Atwater 3400).

707 Market Street, St. Louis 1, Missouri, (Phone—Chestnut 6635).

407 Savings Building, Oklahoma City 2, Oklahoma, (Phone—7-4423).

Produce Terminal Building, 1201 Jones Street, Ft. Worth 2, Texas, (Phone—3-9531).

409 Milam Building, 115 W. Travis Street, San Antonio 5, Texas, (Phone—Fannin 8231).

228 National Building, 1008 Western Avenue, Seattle 4, Washington, (Phone—Main 1615).

426 Southwest Temple, Produce Exchange Building, Salt Lake City 1, Utah, (Phone—52871).

111 West Seventh Street, Post Office Box 6480, Los Angeles 55, California, (Phone—Trinity 7521).

248 Battery Street, San Francisco, California, (Phone—Exbrook 0790).

177 Denargo Market, Food Terminal Building, Denver 5, Colorado, (Phone—Alpine 1491).

Room 825, 165 Broadway, New York 6, New York, (Phone—Cortlandt 7-6887).

North Boulevard and Kelly Road, Richmond 20, Virginia, (Phone—6-2387).

Dover Buying Office, Richardson Hotel, Post Office Box 686, Dover, Delaware, (Phone—Long Distance 2).

13 East Mount Royal Avenue, Baltimore 2, Maryland, (Phone—Saratoga 4940).

1054 Penn Mutual Building, Philadelphia 6, Pennsylvania, (Phone—Walnut 6550).

(16) "Dairy and Poultry Branch Field Representative" means the person in charge of the appropriate Dairy and Poultry Branch field office as follows for the States of California, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, Arizona, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, and Montana:

Western Field Office, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, 821 Market Street, San Francisco 3, California.

For the States of Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Texas, and Oklahoma:

Southwest Field Office, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, 425 Wilson Building, Dallas 1, Tex.

For the States of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia:

Southern Field Office, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, Western Union Building, Atlanta 3, Ga.

For the States of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri,

Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin:

Midwest Field Office, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, 5 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago 3, Ill.

For the States of Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, and West Virginia:

Northeast Field Office, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, 150 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y.

(b) *Authorization of processors.* Any person who desires to process turkeys and to serve as an authorized processor hereunder, and who was not authorized pursuant to War Food Order No. 106, as heretofore amended (9 F.R. 7808, 12113; 10 F.R. 103), to serve as an authorized processor, shall file with the Deputy Order Administrator, Room 1414, 5 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago 3, Illinois, an application by letter, or by telegram followed by letter of confirmation. The application submitted to the Deputy Order Administrator shall contain (1) a statement that the applicant has read War Food Order No. 106, as amended, and in effect at the time of the aforesaid submission; (2) a statement with respect to the location of each plant in which he is to process turkeys pursuant to the provisions hereof; (3) a statement that each such plant is approved by the U. S. Army Veterinary Corps; (4) a representation that all turkeys processed in each such plant will be processed, packaged, and packed according to the specifications of the U. S. Army applicable to the processing of turkeys and the packaging and packing of processed turkeys; and (5) a representation that all processed turkeys will be handled only in accordance with the provisions of this order, and of this order as hereafter amended. Thereupon the Deputy Order Administrator shall consider such application and may issue to the applicant a letter of authority, for such period of time as may be specified therein, to process turkeys if the Deputy Order Administrator determines that the issuance of such authorization is appropriate to effectuate the provisions hereof. All letters of authority issued to become effective before April 30, 1945, shall expire on April 30, 1945. Any person who desires a letter of authority effective after April 30, 1945, shall submit an application for such letter of authority, and any such application shall contain the statements and representations hereinbefore specified for an application. Thereupon the Deputy Order Administrator shall consider such application and may issue to the applicant a letter of authority, for such period of time as may be specified therein, to process turkeys if the Deputy Order Administrator determines that the issuance of such authorization is appropriate to effectuate the provisions hereof. No person shall serve as, or represent himself to be, an authorized processor unless he has received from the Deputy Order Administrator a letter of authority as provided for herein, effective during the time each person serves as, or represents himself

to be, an authorized processor; and an authorized processor shall not process turkeys except as specified in the letter of authority by the Deputy Order Administrator. Any letter of authority may be revoked at any time by the Director.

(c) *Restrictions.* (1) No person, except as hereinafter provided, shall (i) sell, contract to sell, give, or deliver turkeys or processed turkeys, or (ii) purchase, contract to purchase, receive, or accept delivery of turkeys or processed turkeys.

(2) No person, except as hereinafter provided, shall ship turkeys grown or located in a turkey area to any point outside of such area, except to an authorized processor, and no person other than an authorized processor shall accept delivery of such turkeys. Any authorized processor may accept delivery of any live turkeys, irrespective of where grown or located.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of (c) (1) and (c) (2) hereof, turkeys may be sold and delivered to, and purchased and delivery accepted by, a turkey buyer or an authorized processor. A turkey buyer may purchase and accept delivery of turkeys only in the event such turkeys are to be resold and delivered by him to an authorized processor.

(4) No person other than an authorized processor shall process turkeys; and each authorized processor shall process turkeys only in accordance with the aforesaid specifications of the U. S. Army. Each authorized processor shall package and pack such processed turkeys only in accordance with the aforesaid specifications of the U. S. Army.

(5) Each authorized processor shall set aside and thereafter hold all of the turkeys processed by him until such processed turkeys are (i) purchased or rejected by the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center; (ii) released by the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center for sale to a governmental agency; (iii) sold or delivered to a wholesale receiver; or (iv) released by the Director. Each authorized processor who delivers processed turkeys to a cold storage warehouse or who sells or delivers processed turkeys to a wholesale receiver, shall deliver, with each such shipment or delivery of processed turkeys, a certificate in triplicate, signed by him, in substantially the following language (with the appropriate information inserted in the blank spaces):

This is to certify that ----- pounds of processed turkeys hereby delivered are processed turkeys set aside pursuant to the provisions of War Food Order No. 106, issued on July 11, 1944, as amended, and such processed turkeys must continue to be set aside and held until disposed of in accordance with the provisions of said order, as amended.

(Signature of authorized processor)

This will acknowledge receipt, on -----, 194--, of the above indicated quantity of processed turkeys set aside pursuant to War Food Order No. 106, as amended.

(Signature of wholesale receiver or cold storage owner or operator)

The aforesaid certificate shall be signed in triplicate by the person who accepts delivery, as aforesaid, of the processed turkeys, and such person shall return the original to the authorized processor, deliver one copy to the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center located closest to the point of storage of such delivered processed turkeys, and retain the third copy for two years. All statements contained in or accompanying any such certificate shall be deemed to be representations to an agency of the United States.

(6) No person owning processed turkeys set aside or required to be set aside hereunder shall use such processed turkeys, in any manner whatsoever, or permit the use of such processed turkeys by another.

(7) Each wholesale receiver who purchases or accepts delivery of processed turkeys shall set aside and hold such processed turkeys until they are (i) purchased or rejected by the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center; (ii) released by the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center for sale to a governmental agency; or (iii) released by the Director. Each wholesale receiver who delivers processed turkeys to a cold storage warehouse shall deliver, with each such delivery of processed turkeys, a certificate in triplicate, signed by him, in substantially the following language (with the appropriate information inserted in the blank spaces):

This is to certify that ----- pounds of processed turkeys hereby delivered are processed turkeys set aside pursuant to the provisions of War Food Order No. 106, issued on July 11, 1944, as amended, and such processed turkeys must continue to be set aside and held until disposed of in accordance with the provisions of said order, as amended.

(Signature of wholesale receiver)

This will acknowledge receipt, on -----, 194--, of the above indicated quantity of processed turkeys set aside pursuant to War Food Order No. 106, as amended.

(Signature of cold storage owner or operator)

The aforesaid certificate shall be signed in triplicate by the person who accepts delivery, as aforesaid, of the processed turkeys, and such person shall return the original to the wholesale receiver, deliver one copy to the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center located closest to the point of storage of such delivered processed turkeys, and retain the third copy for two years. All statements contained in or accompanying any such certificate shall be deemed to be representations to an agency of the United States.

(8) Each owner or operator of any cold storage shall, upon the Director's request, transmit to the Director any or all certificates, required to be retained by such person pursuant to the provisions of (c) (5) and (c) (7) hereof.

(9) Each owner or operator of any cold storage shall, upon the request of the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center or the U. S. Army Veterinary Corps, make available for inspection all processed turkeys in cold storage which are set aside or required to be set aside hereunder.

(10) In the event of the suspension or termination of any of the provisions in (c) (1) to (c) (9) hereof, both inclusive, all processed turkeys set aside or required to be set aside pursuant to said provisions at the time of the suspension or termination thereof shall continue to be held as set-aside processed turkeys, and may be sold or otherwise disposed of only to the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center.

(d) *Releases.* (1) If an owner has less than 25 turkeys and there is no authorized processor situated within 100 miles of the farm where the turkeys are located, and such owner makes written application to the Dairy and Poultry Branch Field Representative, Office of Marketing Services, War Food Administration, for the release of such turkeys, said Dairy and Poultry Branch Field Representative may release the turkeys for local consumption. If, however, the released turkeys are subsequently purchased by a turkey buyer or an authorized processor, such turkeys shall again become subject to the restrictions of this order.

(2) The Director may, notwithstanding the provisions hereof, release any turkeys or processed turkeys from the restrictions hereof if the Director determines that such release is necessary or appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

(e) *Exemption.* (1) The provisions of this order shall not apply (i) to turkeys used for home consumption by the owner of the turkeys, (ii) to processed turkeys which have been offered, in writing, for sale to the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center and rejected, or (iii) to processed turkeys which, at the effective time hereof, are in cold storage and are not subject to the provisions of § 1414.5 (c) (11) of War Food Order No. 106, as amended on October 4, 1944.

(2) The provisions of this order shall not be applicable to an operator or owner of cold storage with respect to the sale and delivery of processed turkeys stored in his cold storage facilities if such processed turkeys are owned by and stored for the account of another person.

(f) *Records and reports.* (1) Each authorized processor or wholesale receiver shall notify the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center, located closest to the point of storage of any processed turkeys, at least 72 hours prior to the time when such processed turkeys will be available for inspection. The notification shall state where the processed turkeys will be available for inspection, when shipment is to be made to the cold storage warehouse, and to whom payment is to be made if the processed turkeys are sold to the U. S. Army Quartermaster Market Center.

(2) Each authorized processor and each wholesale receiver shall correctly complete Form FDO 106-1 for the periods April 1, 1945, to July 21, 1945, both dates inclusive; July 22, 1945, to October 20, 1945, both dates inclusive; and October 21, 1945, to January 5, 1946, both dates inclusive. In the event that this order is partially suspended or terminated prior to January 5, 1946, the last reporting period shall be from October 21, 1945, to and including the date upon which this order is partially suspended or terminated.

Each such correctly completed form shall be mailed to the Deputy Order Administrator, Room 1414, 5 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago 3, Illinois, not later than 10 calendar days following the last day of the period for which such report is made.

(3) The Director shall be entitled to obtain such additional information from, and require such additional reports and records by, any person as may be necessary or appropriate, in the Director's discretion, to the enforcement or administration of the provisions of this order.

(4) Every person subject to this order shall, for at least two years (or for such period of time as the Director may designate), maintain an accurate record of his transactions in turkeys and processed turkeys.

(g) *Audits and inspections.* The Director shall be entitled to make such audit or inspection of the books, records, and other writings, premises or stocks of turkeys or processed turkeys of any person, and to make such investigations, as may be necessary or appropriate, in the Director's discretion, to the enforcement or administration of the provisions of this order.

(h) *Contracts.* The restrictions of this order shall be observed without regard to contracts heretofore or hereafter entered into, or any rights accrued or payments made thereunder.

(i) *Petition for relief from hardship.* Any person affected by this order who considers that compliance herewith would work an exceptional or unreasonable hardship on him may file a petition for relief with the Order Administrator. Such petition shall be addressed to Order Administrator, War Food Order No. 106, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C. Petition for such relief shall be in writing and shall set forth all pertinent facts and the nature of the relief sought. The Order Administrator may take any action with reference to such petition which is consistent with the authority delegated to him by the Director. If the petitioner is dissatisfied with the action taken by the Order Administrator on the petition, he shall obtain, by requesting the Order Administrator therefor, a review of such action by the Director. The Director may, after said review, take such action as he deems appropriate, and such action shall be final. The provisions of this paragraph (i) shall not be construed to deprive the Director of authority to consider originally any petition for relief from hardship submitted in accordance herewith. The Director may consider any such petition and take such action with reference thereto that he deems appropriate, and such action shall be final.

(j) *Violations.* Any person who violates any provision of this order may, in accordance with the applicable procedure, be prohibited from receiving, making any deliveries of, or using turkeys or processed turkeys. In addition, any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order is guilty of a crime and may be prosecuted under any and all applicable laws. Further, civil action may be instituted to enforce any liability or duty created by, or to enjoin

any violation of, any provision of this order.

(k) *Delegation of authority.* The administration of this order and the powers vested in the War Food Administrator, insofar as such powers relate to the administration of this order, are hereby delegated to the Director. The Director is authorized to redelegate to any employee of the United States Department of Agriculture any or all of the authority vested in him by this order; and one such employee shall be designated by the Director to serve as order administrator, and such other employees as may be necessary shall be designated to serve as deputy order administrators.

(l) *Communications.* All reports required to be filed hereunder and all communications concerning this order shall, unless otherwise provided herein or in instructions issued by the Director, be addressed to the Order Administrator, War Food Order No. 106, Dairy and Poultry Branch, Office of Marketing Services, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C.

(m) *Provisions of certain orders not applicable.* The provisions hereof shall not be construed or interpreted as a modification or termination of War Food Order No. 125 (10 F. R. 1662), as amended. All persons shall comply with the provisions of War Food Order No. 125, as amended, and also comply with the provisions hereof.

(n) *Effective date.* This amendment shall become effective at 12:01 a. m., e. w. t., April 8, 1945. With respect to violations, rights accrued, liabilities incurred, or appeals taken under said War Food Order No. 106, as amended, prior to the effective time of the provisions hereof, the provisions of said War Food Order No. 106, as amended, in effect prior to the effective time hereof shall be deemed to continue in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any proper suit, action, or other proceeding with regard to any such violation, right, liability, or appeal.

NOTE: All reporting and record-keeping requirements of this order have been approved by, and subsequent reporting and record-keeping requirements will be subject to the approval of, Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F.R. 14783)

Issued this 4th day of April 1945.

ASHLEY SELLERS,
Assistant War Food Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5485; Filed, Apr. 4, 1945;
3:37 p. m.]

[WFO 53, Amdt. 7]

PART 1460—FATS AND OILS

DISTILLED RED OIL

Correction

In Federal Register document 45-5234, appearing at page 3510 of the issue for Tuesday, April 3, 1945, the following changes should be made in § 1460.15: the last two lines of paragraph (b)

should read: "him on or before the 16th day of such month"; and the third line of paragraph (i) (4) should read: "quire such reports and the keeping of".

[WFO 79-61, Amdt. 3]

PART 1401—DAIRY PRODUCTS

FLUID MILK AND CREAM IN WHEELING, W. VA., SALES AREA

Pursuant to War Food Order No. 79, as amended (8 F. R. 12426, 13283, 9 F. R. 4321, 4319, 6982, 9459, 10035, 11990, 10 F. R. 103), dated September 7, 1943, and to effectuate the purposes thereof, War Food Order No. 79-61, as amended (8 F. R. 14263, 17501, 9 F. R. 4321, 4319, 5946, 10 F. R. 103), relative to the conservation and distribution of fluid milk, milk by-products, and cream in the Wheeling, West Virginia, milk sales area, is hereby further amended by deleting from § 1401.101 (h) the numeral "100" and substituting therefor the numeral "350."

The provisions of this amendment shall be effective as of 12:01 a. m., e. w. t., April 1, 1945. With respect to violations, rights accrued, liabilities incurred, or appeals taken under said War Food Order No. 79-61, as amended, prior to the effective time of the provisions hereof, the provisions of said War Food Order No. 79-61, as amended, in effect prior to the effective time hereof, shall continue in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any proper suit, action, or other proceeding with respect to any such violation, right, liability, or appeal.

(E.O. 9280, 7 F. R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F. R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F. R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F. R. 14783; WFO 79, 8 F. R. 12426, 13283, 9 F. R. 4321, 4319, 6982, 9459, 10035, 11990, 10 F. R. 103)

Issued this 5th day of April 1945.

C. W. KITCHEN,
Director of Marketing Services.

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11:13 a. m.]

[WFO 128]

PART 1460—FATS AND OILS

INVENTORIES OF ANIMAL OIL AND NEAT'FOOT OIL

Correction

In Federal Register document 45-5235, appearing at page 3511 of the issue for Tuesday, April 3, 1945, the seventh line of paragraph (d) of § 1460.43 should read: "accept delivery of not more than one maxi-".

TITLE 16—COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

Chapter I—Federal Trade Commission

[Docket No. 4894]

PART 3—DIGEST OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDERS

OSTREX CO., INC., ET AL.

§ 3.6 (c) Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Composition of goods: § 3.6 (t) Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Qualities or properties of product or service: § 3.6 (y) 10) Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Scientific or

other relevant facts. In connection with the offering for sale, sale or distribution of a medical preparation designated "Ostrex" or any other preparation composed of substantially similar ingredients or possessing substantially similar properties, whether sold under the same or any other name or names, disseminating, etc., any advertisements by means of United States mails, or in commerce, or by any means to induce, etc., directly or indirectly, purchase in commerce, etc., of said preparation, which advertisements represent, directly or through inference, (a) that said preparation constitutes a remedy or an effective treatment for an exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling or body weakness, or similar conditions, except when such conditions are due solely to a deficiency of iron in the body; (b) that said preparation contains sufficient quantities of calcium, phosphorus and Vitamin B, so that, when taken as directed, it will provide an adequate or effective treatment for conditions caused by deficiencies in the body of such substances, or any of them; (c) that said preparation contains any ingredient, other than iron, which acts as a tonic or stimulant; or (d) that an exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling, or similar conditions, may not be due to old age; prohibited. (Sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended by sec. 3, 52 Stat. 112; 15 U. S. C., sec. 45 b) [Cease and desist order, Ostrex Company, Inc., et al., Docket 4854, March 21, 1945]

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1945.

In the Matter of Ostrex Company, Inc., a Corporation, and David Steuerman and Lillian Steuerman, Individuals, Trading as Steuerman Advertising Agency

This proceeding having been heard by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission, the answer of respondents and a stipulation as to the facts entered into by the respondents David Steuerman and Lillian Steuerman, trading as Steuerman Advertising Agency, and Richard P. Whiteley, Assistant Chief Counsel for the Commission, which provides, among other things, that without further evidence or other intervening procedure the Commission may issue and serve upon the respondents David Steuerman and Lillian Steuerman, trading as Steuerman Advertising Agency herein, findings as to the facts and conclusion based thereon and an order disposing of the proceedings; and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and conclusion that said respondents have violated the provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act:

It is ordered, That the respondents David Steuerman and Lillian Steuerman, individuals, trading as Steuerman Advertising Agency, or trading under any other name or names, their representatives, agents and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device in connection with the offering for sale, sale or distribution of a medical preparation designated "Ostrex" or any other preparation composed of substantially similar ingredients or possessing

substantially similar properties, whether sold under the same or any other name or names, do forthwith cease and desist from:

(1) Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement, by means of the United States mails or by any means in commerce, as commerce is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, which advertisement represents, directly or through implication:

(a) That said preparation constitutes a remedy or an effective treatment for an exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling or body weakness, or similar conditions, except when such conditions are due solely to a deficiency of iron in the body.

(b) That said preparation contains sufficient quantities of calcium, phosphorus and Vitamin B, so that, when taken as directed, it will provide an adequate or effective treatment for conditions caused by deficiencies in the body of such substances, or any of them.

(c) That said preparation contains any ingredient, other than iron, which acts as a tonic or stimulant.

(d) That an exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling, or similar conditions, may not be due to old age.

(2) Disseminating or causing to be disseminated, any advertisement by any means for the purpose of inducing, or which is likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the purchase in commerce, as commerce is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of said preparation, which advertisement contains any of the representations prohibited in Paragraph One thereof.

It is further ordered, That the respondents shall, within sixty days after service upon them of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing, setting forth in detail the manner and form in which they have complied with this order.

It appearing to the Commission that the respondent corporation Ostrex Company, Inc., has been dissolved, It is ordered, That the complaint be, and the same hereby is dismissed as to said respondent.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

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TITLE 31—MONEY AND FINANCE: TREASURY

Chapter II—Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury

Subchapter A—Bureau of Accounts

[1945 Tenth Supp. Dept. Circ. 570 Rev.
Apr. 20, 1943]

PART 226—SURETY COMPANIES

UNITED NATIONAL INDEMNITY CO.¹

APRIL 5, 1945.

A Certificate of Authority has been issued by the Secretary of the Treasury to

¹ Affects tabulation in § 226.1.

the following company under the act of Congress approved August 13, 1894, 28 Stat. 279-80, as amended by the act of Congress approved March 23, 1910, 36 Stat. 241 (U. S. Code, Title 6, secs. 6-13), as an acceptable surety on Federal bonds. An underwriting limitation of \$389,000 has been established for the company. Further details as to the extent and localities with respect to which the company is acceptable as surety on Federal bonds will appear in the next issue of Treasury Department Form 356, copies of which, when issued, may be obtained from the Treasury Department, Bureau of Accounts, Section of Surety Bonds, Washington, D. C.

Name of Company, Location of Principal Executive Office and State in Which Incorporated

New York

United National Indemnity Company, Hartford, Conn.

[SEAL]

E. F. BARTELT,
Acting Secretary
of the Treasury.

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TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

Chapter IX—War Production Board

AUTHORITY: Regulations in this chapter, unless otherwise noted at the end of documents affected, issued under sec. 2 (a), 54 Stat. 676, as amended by 55 Stat. 236 and 56 Stat. 177; E.O. 9024, 7 F.R. 329; E.O. 9040, 7 F.R. 527; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719; W.P.B. Reg. 1 as amended Dec. 31, 1943, 9 F.R. 64.

PART 1010—SUSPENSION ORDERS

[Suspension Order S-747]

NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CO.

John A. Rosenfeld, doing business as National Electrical Company, is engaged in the sale of electrical equipment including fans and fluorescent lighting fixtures. On or about April 7, 1944, he extended a AA-3 preference rating on a purchase order for 100 fluorescent lighting fixtures, although no such preference rating had been received by or assigned to him, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 3. He also failed to retain documents upon which he presumably relied as authority for representations made in particular certifications as required by Priorities Regulation No. 7. Between March 25, 1944 and May 22, 1944, he sold and delivered fourteen new fluorescent lighting fixtures on orders which did not bear preference ratings, in violation of General Limitation Order L-78. On several occasions between February 29, 1944 and April 15, 1944, he extended preference ratings on purchase orders for fans and blowers, although no preference ratings had been received by or assigned to him, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 3. Between March 22, 1944, and May 8, 1944, he accepted orders for and delivered a number of new fans, blowers, or exhausters on orders which did not bear a preference rating of AA-5 or higher in violation of General Limitation Order L-123. John A. Rosenfeld was aware of the pro-

visions of Priorities Regulations Nos. 3 and 7, Limitation Order L-78 and Limitation Order L-123, and his actions constituted grossly negligent violations of these orders and regulations.

These violations have diverted critical materials to uses not authorized by the War Production Board and have hampered and impeded the war effort of the United States. In view of the foregoing, it is hereby ordered, that:

§ 1010.747 *Suspension Order No. S-747.* (a) John A. Rosenfeld shall not for four months from the effective date of this order apply or extend any preference ratings or use any CMP allotment symbols, regardless of the delivery date named in any purchase order to which such ratings may be applied or extended or on which CMP allotment symbols are used.

(b) For a period of four months from the effective date of this order, no allocations, including allotments, shall directly or indirectly be made to John A. Rosenfeld of any material or product the supply or distribution of which is governed by any order or regulation of the War Production Board unless hereafter specifically authorized in writing by the War Production Board.

(c) John A. Rosenfeld shall not for four months from the effective date of this order receive, process, deliver or otherwise deal in fluorescent lighting fixtures, fans or blowers unless specifically authorized to the contrary by the War Production Board.

(d) The provisions of paragraphs (a) and (c) shall not apply to deliveries of materials required to fill any order or contract with the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission or any other governmental department or agency of the United States.

(e) Nothing contained in this order shall be deemed to relieve John A. Rosenfeld from any restriction, prohibition or provision contained in any other order or regulation of the War Production Board except insofar as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

(f) The restrictions and prohibitions contained herein shall apply to John A. Rosenfeld, doing business as National Electrical Company, or under whatever name he may operate, his successors or assigns or persons acting in his behalf. Prohibitions against the taking of any action include the taking indirectly as well as directly of any such action.

(g) This order shall take effect on April 6, 1945.

Issued this 30th day of March 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5572; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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PART 1010—SUSPENSION ORDERS

[Suspension Order S-748]

GEORGE W. AMEY

George W. Amey is engaged in the retail selling of lumber, building materials

and coal, and maintains a yard and place of business at Richlandtown, Pennsylvania. During the period from July 15, 1944 to October 25, 1944 he extended a preference rating of AA-1 to purchase and obtain delivery of three carloads of lumber, totaling in excess of 95,000 board feet, when he was authorized to use this preference rating to purchase only 3348 board feet of lumber, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 3. During the same period he extended a preference rating of AA-3 for seven carloads or in excess of 150,000 board feet of lumber and a preference rating of AA-4 for one carload or approximately 34,000 board feet of lumber, when he was authorized to use a preference rating of AA-3 to purchase only 2000 board feet, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 3.

During the period from January 1, 1944 to November 1, 1944, George W. Amey maintained inadequate records covering his operations in that the records were incomplete, inaccurate, on improper form, disorderly and not in chronological order, in violation of paragraph 944.15 of Priorities Regulation No. 1.

George W. Amey was familiar with the above regulations and the violations are due to his gross negligence. These violations have diverted critical material to uses not authorized by the War Production Board and have hampered and impeded the war efforts of the United States. In view of the foregoing, it is hereby ordered that:

§ 1010.748 *Suspension Order No. S-748.* (a) George W. Amey shall not for a period of four months from the effective date of this order deliver any lumber to his customers except on certified orders as defined and governed by Limitation Order L-335 and bearing a preference rating of AA-3 or higher.

(b) George W. Amey shall not for a period of three months from the effective date of this order extend any of his customers' certified orders to purchase any lumber as defined and governed by Limitation Order L-335, except in the case of certified orders bearing a preference rating of AA-1 or higher and then only when he is unable to fill the order from his inventory on hand.

(c) The restrictions and prohibitions contained herein shall apply to George W. Amey, his successors or assigns, or any person acting in his behalf. Prohibitions against the taking of any action include the taking indirectly as well as directly of any such action.

(d) Nothing contained in this order shall be deemed to relieve George W. Amey, his successors or assigns, from any restriction, prohibition or provision contained in any other order or regulation of the War Production Board, except insofar as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

(e) This order shall take effect on the 6th day of April 1945.

Issued this 30th day of March 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

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PART 3175—REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO THE CONTROLLED MATERIALS PLAN

[CMP Reg. 1, Direction 54, as Amended, Apr. 6, 1945]

DEFERRED ALLOTMENTS

The following amended direction is issued pursuant to CMP Regulation 1:

(a) *General.* This direction describes the operation of deferred allotments. These allotments and authorized controlled material orders based on them are identified with the letter "Z" as the initial letter of the CMP allotment symbol. In most cases, this symbol will be "Z-1". Deferred allotments and authorized controlled material orders based on them are exactly the same as regular allotments and authorized controlled material orders, except as provided in this direction or as may be provided under other regulations.

(b) *Treatment by a controlled material producer of authorized controlled materials orders based on deferred allotments.* (1) A controlled material producer must accept or reject an authorized controlled material order identified by the symbol "Z" in the same way that he must accept or reject any other authorized controlled material order. However, if after accepting orders identified by a "Z" symbol, he receives orders (other than "Z" orders), which he is otherwise required to accept but would be unable to accept because of the provision of paragraph (t) (2) (iii) or Direction 23 of CMP Regulation 1 (relating to the amount of orders that can be accepted), he must defer his most recently accepted "Z" orders to the extent necessary and accept the other order.

(2) A controlled material producer must defer production of his most recently accepted "Z" order to the extent necessary to make deliveries on time on other authorized controlled material orders or other orders which he is required to fill.

(3) If at the time a "Z" order is required to be deferred by paragraph (b) (1) or (b) (2) it is scheduled for delivery within less time than the "lead times" of Schedule III to CMP Regulation No. 1, the producer need not defer such order if deferring the orders would stop or interrupt his production or operations in a way which would cause a substantial loss of total production or a substantial delay in operations. For instance, if a steel producer receives an authorized controlled material order with an "N-1" symbol and, under the provisions of paragraphs (b) (1) and (b) (2) he would be required to defer a "Z" order for carbon pipe which is scheduled for delivery in less than 30 days (the lead time specified in Schedule III for carbon pipe) and deferring the order would result in a substantial loss in total production he need not defer such order.

(4) If a "Z" order is deferred because of the provisions of paragraph (b) (1) or (b) (2) of this direction, it may be scheduled for delivery in a later month only if a new "Z" order could be accepted for delivery in such a month under the provisions of this direction and paragraph (t) of CMP Regulation No. 1. However, if the order is scheduled for delivery in a later month and that month is in a later quarter, it is not necessary for the customer to make any change in his order or have an allotment valid for the later quarter. The provisions of paragraph (t) (4) of CMP Regulation 1 and paragraph (g) of Direction 23 to that regulation, relating to prior scheduling of past due orders, do not apply to "Z" orders.

(5) Whenever a controlled material producer finds that he will be unable to fill a "Z" order within the month promised he must promptly notify the customer, stating approximately when he expects to make delivery.

(c) *Deliveries from mill stock.* A controlled material producer must not fill from mill stock, including mill accumulations of rejected material, any "Z" order until he has filled all other orders which he has received calling for similar items which he is required to fill under CMP regulations.

(d) *Deliveries of steel for further conversion to fill "Z" orders.* If a steel producer orders controlled material from another controlled material producer which he will convert into another controlled material form for delivery on a "Z" order, he should obtain his material in the same way as provided for other orders for further conversion by Direction 6 of CMP Regulation No. 1.

(e) *Reports to the War Production Board.* Producers shall treat "Z" orders separately on all reports required to be filed with the War Production Board which requires segregation of shipments, orders, or production by major program symbol.

(f) *Treatment by steel producers of orders identified by the symbol "Z-1E"* is explained in Direction No. 44 to CMP Regulation No. 1.

(g) *Removal of deferred orders from schedules.* If a "Z" order has been deferred by a producer for more than thirty days after the quarter in which the order was originally scheduled for delivery, and the producer is unable to schedule it for delivery in the quarter following the one for which it was originally scheduled, the "Z" order must be cancelled and removed from the production schedule of the producer. If an order has been re-scheduled for the later quarter and must be again deferred beyond that quarter, it must be cancelled and may not be re-scheduled for delivery in any subsequent quarter. The customer must be immediately notified of cancellation in either case. If the customer within 10 days (or in any case prior to April 15, 1945) revalidates his order for delivery in the current or a later quarter and charges his allotment account for such quarter, the producer must treat the revalidated order as though originally placed for delivery in such quarter.

(h) *Special treatment of certain AM orders for aluminum.* Orders placed by certain warehouses bearing a symbol in the AM-9600 series under the provisions of Order M-1-J shall be treated as though bearing the initial letter "Z" under the provisions of this direction.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

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PART 3175—REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO THE CONTROLLED MATERIALS PLAN

[CMP Reg. 1, Direction 68]

ALUMINUM ALLOTMENTS FOR CERTAIN PRODUCTS

The following direction is issued pursuant to CMP Regulation 1:

(a) It is the policy of the War Production Board not to grant regular allotments of aluminum for the products listed in paragraph (b) of this direction. There is no prohibition against the use of aluminum in the manufacture of these products, and Z allotments ("deferred" allotments as explained in Direction 54) can be obtained under certain circumstances from Field Offices of the War Production Board under the provisions of Priorities Regulation 25.

(b) *List of products:*
Lipstick holders.

Cosmetic cases.
Baby carriages.
Plumbing fittings.
Brushes, brooms and mops.
Toilet articles.
Permanent wave accessories.
Toys and games.
Smoker's accessories.
Hair curlers.
Jewelry.
Cigarette Lighters (except for military orders).
Pouring spouts for fiber containers (salt spouts).
Recording discs 12" or less in diameter.
Metal signs.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

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PART 3175—REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO THE CONTROLLED MATERIALS PLAN

[CMP Reg. 1, Direction 69]

METAL STRAPPING

The following direction is issued pursuant to CMP Regulation 1:

(a) Persons who receive production schedules for the manufacture of metal strapping as defined in Order P-152 (CMP Code 716) may sell as strapping, strip steel or wire which they buy pursuant to their allotment, even though they perform no fabricating operations on it. They may do this only if they are unable to complete fabrication of the material into flat or round strapping and only to fill orders bearing ratings permitted under Order P-152.

(b) Distributors of metal strapping may resell as strapping, all steel strip and wire delivered to them in uncompleted form by manufacturers under this direction, but only to fill orders bearing ratings permitted under Order P-152.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

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PART 3270—CONTAINERS

[Conservation Order M-81, Revocation of Direction 7]

EXEMPTION OF CERTAIN TERNEPLATE AND BLACKPLATE FROM PARAGRAPHS (D) AND (G-2)

Direction 7 to Order M-81 is revoked. Order M-81 as amended April 6, 1945, incorporates the subject matter of this direction in paragraph (g-2) of the order and makes the continuance of this direction unnecessary.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

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PART 3270—CONTAINERS

[Conservation Order M-81, as Amended April 6, 1945]

CANS

Section 3270.31 *Conservation Order M-81*, last amended January 1, 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

The fulfillment of requirements for the defense of the United States has created a shortage in the supply of materials entering into the manufacture of cans for defense, for private account and for export; and the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

§ 3270.31 *Conservation Order M-81—*

(a) *What this order does.* This order places limitations upon cans made of tinplate or terneplate. With minor exceptions (see paragraphs (e) and (g-1)), cans not made of tinplate or terneplate, but made only of blackplate, are no longer restricted by this order. This order lists in Schedule A the only products which may be packed in tinplate or terneplate cans except that, under certain limitations, unlisted non-food products may be packed in cans where no terneplate is used and only the soldered parts are 0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate (see paragraph (d)).

(b) *Definitions specifically for the purpose of this order:* (1) "Can" means any unused container, made in whole or in part of tinplate, terneplate or blackplate, which is suitable for packing any product. The term includes all pails and drums made from blackplate, 29 gauge or lighter (except stripper drums having a capacity of 30 pounds or greater) and any container closure or fitting, made in whole or in part of tinplate, terneplate or blackplate, but does not include a closure or fitting to be used on or as a part of a glass container or fibre or steel drum (as defined in Orders L-103, L-337 and L-197). The term does not include fluid milk shipping containers as defined in Order M-200.

(2) "Tinplate" means steel sheets coated with tin (including primes and seconds) and includes (i) electrolytic tinplate in which the tin coating is applied by electrolytic deposition, and (ii) hot dipped tinplate in which the tin coating is applied by immersion in molten tin. The term includes hot dipped tinplate waste-waste, and tinplate waste, but not electrolytic tinplate waste-waste.

(3) "Terneplate" means steel sheets coated with terne metal (including primes and seconds). The term does not include terneplate waste-waste or terneplate waste. "Terne metal" means the

lead-tin alloy used as the coating for terneplate but does not include lead recovered from secondary sources which contains not more than 2½ per cent residual tin. "SCMT" means special coated manufacturers' terneplate.

(4) "Blackplate" means steel sheets other than tinplate or terneplate 29 gauge or lighter. The term includes "blackplate rejects", chemically treated blackplate (CTB), electrolytic tinplate waste-waste, terneplate waste-waste, and terneplate waste. The term does not include hot dipped tinplate waste-waste or tinplate waste.

(5) "Waste" means scrap tinplate, terneplate and blackplate (including strips and circles) produced in the ordinary course of manufacturing cans and tinplate, terneplate and blackplate strips produced in the ordinary course of manufacturing tinplate, terneplate and blackplate. The term shall also include tinplate, terneplate and blackplate parts recovered from used cans.

(6) "Waste-waste" means hot dipped or electrolytic tin-coated steel sheets or steel sheets coated with terne metal which have been rejected during processing by the producer because of imperfections which disqualify such sheets from sale as primes or seconds.

(7) "Packer" means any person who uses cans for commercially packing any product.

(8) "Packing quota" means, as specified in Schedule A, either the quantity, by area of measurement, of tinplate, terneplate and blackplate which a packer may use for packing a particular product during any calendar year or seasonal year, or the total tonnage of a particular product which a packer may pack in tinplate, terneplate or blackplate cans in any calendar year.

Unrestricted Cans

(c) *Blackplate cans.* Except with respect to paragraphs (e) and (g-1) below, cans not made of tinplate or terneplate, but made only of blackplate are not restricted by this order.

Cans for Unlisted Products

(d) *0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate for soldered parts of cans.* For packing non-food products not listed in Schedule A, cans not made of any terneplate or tinplate, except soldered parts made of 0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate, may be used by a packer without restriction as to size. However, the total area of electrolytic tinplate so used for each unlisted non-food product during each calendar year must not exceed the total area of tinplate and terneplate used by the packer in the soldered parts of cans to pack the same

product in 1941. Also during the first six months of each calendar year, no packer may accept, in order to pack any unlisted non-food product, more cans than 50 per cent of his annual quota to pack such product, except a packer whose annual quota does not exceed one carload. This paragraph does not permit any cans to be used for packing foods for animals and pets.

Manufacturing Preferences

(e) *Manufacturing preferences to certain orders for cans.* In conformance with Priorities Regulations 1 and 3, each manufacturer must accept and treat the following classes of unrated orders as if they were rated AA-5: (1) Orders for cans to pack the products listed in Schedule A except the products listed as "Non-Food Products" which are not drugs, medicinals or biologicals; (2) Orders for cans to be delivered, packed or empty, to the persons listed in paragraph (1) below or to Lend-Lease procurement agencies; (3) Orders for cans to pack drugs, medicinals and biologicals.

General Restrictions

(f) *General restrictions on manufacture, sale and delivery.* No person shall sell, manufacture or deliver any cans which he knows, or has reason to believe, will be accepted or used in violation of any provision of this order.

(f-1) *Prohibition against ears and balls.* No person shall manufacture, and no packer shall use a tinplate or terneplate can (except cans to pack honey) which is equipped with ears or balls.

(g) *General restrictions on use of tinplate or terneplate cans.* No person may use a tinplate or terneplate can for any purpose other than for packing the products listed in Schedule A in accordance with the packing quota, size and material limitations set forth in that schedule. The only exceptions to this rule are set forth in paragraph (d) with respect to packing unlisted non-food products in cans having only their soldered parts made of 0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate, paragraph (g-2) with respect to certain terneplate cans, paragraph (j) with respect to small users, paragraph (k) with respect to cans to pack products not to be sold, and paragraph (l) with respect to packing unlisted products for certain persons. Jobbers and retailers shall not be subject to the quota restrictions of this order, but they must receive and sell cans only in conformity with the other provisions of this order.

(g-1) *Prohibition against use of cans for animal food.* No person shall use any cans for packing any food which is not intended and suitable for human con-

sumption. The use of cans for animal and pet food is not permitted.

(g-2) *Exemption of certainterneplate from restrictions of paragraphs (d) and (g).* Notwithstanding the prohibitions in paragraphs (d) and (g) against the use of terneplate cans to pack non-food products not listed in Schedule A any terneplate which was in process at a mill or set aside at a mill on January 1, 1945, for the account of a can manufacturer may be completed and shipped to the can manufacturer. Any such terneplate received by a manufacturer and any other terneplate which was in transit to him or in his hands on January 1, 1945, may be manufactured into terneplate cans for packing any non-food product permitted to be packed by this order as amended September 22, 1944. Terneplate cans made under this paragraph may be delivered to the packer, but the packer must charge the area of terneplate in such containers against the quota of tinplate permitted to him under paragraph (d) as though it were tinplate. Furthermore, a packer may use any terneplate cans which were in process at or in the hands of his manufacturer on January 1, 1945, or which were in transit to him or in his own hands on that date, to pack any non-food product permitted to be packed by this order as amended September 22, 1944. However, the area of terneplate in such containers must be charged against the quota of tinplate permitted to him under paragraph (d) as though it were tinplate.

(h) *Prohibition against repacking of contents of tinplate or terneplate cans.* No product packed in a tinplate or terneplate can shall be repacked for sale in any type of container by the same or different person in the same or different form except to the extent specifically permitted in Schedule A.

(i) *Certificate for deliveries of tinplate or terneplate cans.* No person shall manufacture, sell or deliver any tinplate or terneplate cans unless he has received from the purchaser a certificate signed manually or as provided in Priorities Regulation 7. This certificate shall be in substantially the following form and, once filed by a purchaser with a supplier, covers all future deliveries from the supplier to that purchaser.

The undersigned purchaser certifies, subject to criminal penalties for misrepresentation, that he is familiar with Order M-81 of the War Production Board, and that all purchases from you of items regulated by that order, and the use of the same by the undersigned, will be in compliance with the order.

If a certificate in substantially the above form has been received from a

purchaser before April 6, 1945, no additional certificate is required from the purchaser. This paragraph shall not apply to sales to retailers who buy for resale or persons who purchase from such retailers.

(j) *Exception for small users.* The restrictions of this order, except paragraph (g-1), shall not apply to any packer during any calendar year in which his total use of cans requires less than 250 base boxes of tinplate and terneplate. However, if tinplate or terneplate cans are used to pack a listed product, such packer must conform to the provisions of Schedule A relative to can size and can materials. Furthermore, no cans containing any tinplate or terneplate, except 0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate for soldered parts may be used by such packer to pack products not listed in Schedule A.

(k) *Exception for products not to be sold.* Except as stated below, the provisions of this order shall not apply to the manufacture, purchase, acceptance of delivery or use of cans for packing any product which is not to be sold in the same or different form. However, this exception shall not apply to (1) an individual when using a tinplate can for a purpose other than for home canning, or (2) sample tinplate or terneplate cans distributed for the purpose of advertising or promoting the sale of a product.

(l) *Military exception to packing unlisted products in tinplate or terneplate cans.* The manufacture, purchase, acceptance of delivery and use of tinplate or terneplate cans for packing any product not listed in Schedule A, is permitted (without any quota, size or material restrictions) when such cans are to be delivered either packed or empty to the Army, Navy, Veterans' Administration, Maritime Commission or War Shipping Administration (including persons operating vessels for such Commission or Administration for use thereon, and other persons whose purchase orders bear a preference rating assigned by the Maritime Commission on Form WPB-646 (formerly PD-300)).

Miscellaneous

(m) *Applications for quotas.* Any packer who does not have a quota for using tinplate or terneplate cans to pack a product listed in Schedule A, or who does not have a quota for using 0.25 or less electrolytic tinplate in the soldered parts of cans to pack unlisted non-food products as permitted in Paragraph (d), and who wishes to have a quota established for him, may apply for a quota by

filing a letter with the Containers Division, War Production Board, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: M-81. This letter should state what products he wants to pack and what facilities he has for this purpose. A quota will be assigned to him on an equitable basis in view of the quotas of other packers in the industry.

(n) *Appeals.* Appeals from this order shall be filed by addressing a letter to the Containers Division, War Production Board, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: M-81. The letter of appeal need not follow any particular form. It should state informally, but completely, the particular provisions appealed from, the precise relief desired, the reasons why denial of the appeal would result in undue and excessive hardship, and such other statistical and narrative information as may be pertinent.

(o) *Reports.* All can manufacturers shall file a monthly report on Form WPB-2707 in accordance with the instructions in that form. This reporting requirement has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942. All persons affected by this order shall execute and file with the War Production Board such other forms and questionnaires as said Board shall, from time to time request, subject to the approval of the Bureau of the Budget.

(p) *Communications.* All communications concerning this order shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: Containers Division, War Production Board, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: M-81.

(q) *Violations.* Any person who willfully violates any provision of this order or who, in connection with this order willfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further delivery of, or from processing or using, material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

SCHEDULE A

Column 1. *Listed products.* Listed in this column are the only products, except as provided in paragraphs (d), (g-2), (j), (k) and (l) of the order, which may be packed in tinplate or terneplate cans. Such cans may be used to pack the listed products only if the products are packed in these cans, in

the form described in this column. Dried and frozen fruits and vegetables shall not be packed in a tinplate or terneplate can except to the extent specifically permitted in this schedule. Where repacking of listed products is permitted, specific treatment of the cut cans is required. Tinplate or terneplate cans containing the listed food products for use on vessels under the direction of the War Shipping Administration may not be sold unless authorization to acquire the cans has been obtained on Form WPB-646 (formerly PD-300). Wherever the term "WFO-22", appears in the schedule, that refers to the order of the War Food Administration.

Column 2. Packing quotas. This column indicates the permitted packing quotas for the respective listed products. The quotas for the respective products are not interchangeable. Where, as in many cases, the word "unlimited" appears in the column opposite a particular product in Column 1, that means that a packer (including a packer who has just begun business) may use the specified cans in an unlimited quantity to pack that particular product. Where the word "None" appears in this column after Items 74 and 75, that means that no tinplate or terneplate cans may be used for packing the particular items except for the persons listed in paragraph (1) or for any Lend-Lease procurement agencies. Where the word "None" appears in this column after Items 95 and 96, that means that no tinplate or terneplate cans may be used for packing the particular items except for the persons specified in Column 1 after that item.

An example of the usual manner in which the permitted packing quota is specified is "75%—1941". This means that the packer's packing quota for the particular product for any calendar year is 75% of the quantity, by area measurement of tinplate, terneplate and blackplate used by him for packing the particular product during the calendar year 1941. The packing quota is sometimes specified in terms of a seasonal year rather than a calendar year. For example, where "75% 1942-

1943" is specified, that means that the packer's packing quota for the particular product for any seasonal year is 75% of the quantity, by area measurement, of tinplate, terneplate and blackplate used by him for packing the particular product during the seasonal year of 1942-1943. In several cases, the packing quota is not specified in terms of area measurement of tinplate, terneplate and blackplate, but in terms of the total tonnage of that product packed during a previous year in cans, in cans and glass or in all types of containers.

With respect to those products classified below as "Meat, meat products and poultry", "Miscellaneous food products", and "Non-food products", tinplate or terneplate cans used for packing such products for the persons listed in paragraph (1) and for any Lend-Lease procurement agencies (except frozen eggs for such Lend-Lease agencies) shall be exempt from the specified quotas, and, when determining the quota for packing such products, all containers packed during the specified base period for these agencies and persons shall be excluded. With respect to all other listed products, tinplate or terneplate cans for these agencies and persons are included in the packing quota, and, when determining the quota for packing such products, cans (also other types of containers, where specified) packed during the specified base period for these agencies and persons shall be included.

Column 3. Can sizes. This column indicates the permitted sizes of cans, except that any person may use for packing any listed product a can which is larger than the largest listed size for packing that product. The size restrictions in this column also apply to cans to pack the listed products which are delivered to the agencies and persons listed in paragraph (1) and to Lend-Lease procurement agencies. Wherever the can size is specified by weight, the weight referred to shall be net weight of the contents of the can. Other can sizes are described in the terminology common to the industry such

as "cylinder", "picnic", "oval", "drawn", "tall", "2", "10", "8Z", etc.

Columns 4 and 5. Can materials. These columns specify the materials permitted for the bodies and ends of the tinplate or terneplate cans for each of the listed products. Any person may also use for packing a listed product such cans with a tin coating lighter than that specified for that product. Hot dipped tinplate waste-waste may be used wherever 0.50 or heavier tinplate is specified. The material restrictions in this column also apply to cans to pack the listed product which are delivered to the persons specified in paragraph (1) or to the Lend-Lease procurement agencies. Wherever "CTB" is specified, 0.50 electrolytic tinplate or SCMT may be substituted where such cans are to be delivered to the Army or the Navy for overseas use; however, where in such cases the cans are to pack listed meat products, 1.25 tinplate may be substituted. When tinplate is specified, the coating indicated represents the maximum weight of tin coating per single base box. Whenever can material specifications for a product are changed by amendment (including the January 1, 1945 amendment), a can manufacturer must continue to manufacture, sell and deliver cans for that product in accordance with the superseded specifications (before making any cans conforming to the new specifications) as long as there is available to him plate made for that product which was in process at the tin mill, in the inventory of the tin mill for his account, or in his inventory, on the date of the change. Menders arising in the production of electrolytic tinplate, which have been hot dipped with a maximum tin coating of 1.25 pounds per base box, may be used wherever 0.50 or heavier tinplate is specified in this column. Menders arising in the production of electrolytic tinplate which have been converted into SCMT may be used wherever 0.25 or heavier tinplate is specified in this order for non-food cans. When a scored can is used to pack any of the meat products listed in this schedule, 1.25 tinplate may be used for the body of the can.

NOTE: Table amended Apr. 6, 1945.

Product (1)	Packing quota (2)	Can sizes (3)	Can materials	
			Body (4)	Ends (5)
Fruit and fruit products				
1. Apples, including crabapples. Whole apples not to be packed.....	100% 1942-43.....	10.....	1.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.....
2. Apple sauce, including sauce from crabapples.....	100% 1942-43.....	2, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.....
3. Apricots, halves, pulp and puree. Whole fresh apricots may be packed only when fully ripe and not less than 10 or more than 18 to the pound. (See note after Item 22).....	Unlimited.....	2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.....
4. Berries when packed as berries.....	Unlimited.....	2, 2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.....
5. Cherries.....	Unlimited.....	2, 2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.....
6. Cranberries, including cranberry sauce.....	100% of 1942 tonnage packed in cans and glass.....	300.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.....
7. Figs, Kadota.....	Unlimited.....	2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.....
8. Frozen fruits and vegetables.....	50% of 1943 frozen tonnage packed in all containers 30 lb. or larger.....	30 lb. or larger cans (not more than one-half may be packed in 30 lb. cans).....	0.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.....
9. Fruits, as follows:	Unlimited.....	2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.....
a. Fruit cocktail, consisting of any combination of fruits listed in this schedule and grapes, provided that the combination, by drained weight, shall consist of not less than 50% peaches and pears, and may not exceed 10% grapes. Pineapple may be used to the extent of 10% of the fruit cocktail.....	70% of average annual area of tinplate in 1943 and 1944. Products are interchangeable. Cans packed under this quota must all be used for filling WFO-22 set aside.....	2½, 10.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.....
b. Peaches, halves, slices, cubes, pulp and puree (see note after item 22).....				
c. Pears, halves, slices or cubes.....				

Product (1)	Packing quota (2)	Can sizes (3)	Can materials	
			Body (4)	Ends (5)
<i>Fruit and fruit products—Continued</i>				
10. Mixed fruits, consisting of any combination of fruits listed in this Schedule (with or without grapes), provided the combination by drained weight shall consist of not less than 55% nor more than 65% diced peaches, and not less than 35% nor more than 45% diced pears; or a combination of not less than 50% nor more than 60% diced peaches and not less than 30% nor more than 40% diced pears with not less than 6% nor more than 10% grapes. Such peaches or pears shall be peeled, pitted, or cored, and diced to a size such that no more than 20% of the units will pass through a $\frac{3}{16}$ " standard sieve, and no more than 20% of the units will have a greater edge dimension than $\frac{3}{4}$ ", and so as to leave not more than 1 square inch of peel per pound of product on a drained weight basis. Not more than 10% of the grapes shall be cracked or crushed or have attached cap stems. No fruit may be packed under this item until the packer has packed and set aside his full quota for that fruit as established pursuant to WFO-22 and orders supplementary thereto.	Unlimited	2½, 10	1.50 tin	0.50 tin.
11. Grapefruit segments.	Unlimited	2	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
12. Grapefruit juice.	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 40	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
13. Orange juice.	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
14. Orange-grapefruit juice blended (50% orange-50% grapefruit).	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
15. Lemon juice.	100% 1941	6 Z, 8Z Tall, 2, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
16. Olives, ripe or green ripe.	75% 1941-42	2½, 10	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
17. [Deleted]				
18. [Deleted]				
19. Pineapple, slices, chunks, crushed or tidbits. Spears not to be packed. (See note after Item 22.)	Unlimited	2, 2½, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
20. Pineapple juice.	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
21. Plums.	Unlimited	2½, 10	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
22. Prunes, fresh Italian.	Unlimited	2½, 10	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.

NOTE: When required for the packing of other products, pineapple may be repacked from No. 10 cans or larger. Apricots and peaches, solid pie pack, pulp and puree, may be repacked from No. 10 cans or larger. No. 10 cans cut under this provision must be properly cleaned and returned to the nearest detinning plant.

Vegetables and vegetable products

23. Asparagus, all-green or culturally bleached.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
24. Beans, green or wax.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
25. Fresh shelled beans (whether referred to as beans or peas), including but not limited to lima beans, black-eyed peas or beans, field peas, soy beans.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	0.50 tin	CTB.
26. Dried beans, with or without pork or tomato sauce.	45% 1941	300	0.50 tin	CTB.
27. Beets. Whole beets over 1¼" diameter not to be packed.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
28. Carrots. Whole carrots not to be packed.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	CTB.
29. Corn, fresh, sweet, cut, cream style or whole kernel.	Unlimited	2, 10	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
a. If vacuum packed.	2 vacuum (307 x 306)		0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
30. Peas and carrots. Carrots not to exceed 40% of total drained weight. (Frozen vegetables may be used.)	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	CTB.
31. Succotash.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	0.50 tin	CTB.
32. Mixed vegetables (except succotash, and peas and carrots) 90% of the mixture by drained weight must consist of the vegetables listed in this Schedule and celery and onions; provided, that the combination by drained weight shall not contain more than 60% of any one vegetable. (Frozen vegetables may be used):				
a. Without tomatoes.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	CTB.
(1) If vacuum packed.	2 vacuum (307 x 306)		1.25 tin	CTB.
b. With tomatoes.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
(1) If vacuum packed.	2 vacuum (307 x 306)		1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
33. Mushrooms.	80% 1941-42	2Z, 4Z, 8Z	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
34. Okra.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
35. Tomatoes and okra.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
36. Peas, green.	Unlimited	2, 10	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
a. If vacuum packed.	2 vacuum (307 x 306)		0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
37. Pumpkin and squash.	100% 1941	2½	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
37a. Sauerkraut.	55% 1941-42	2½, 10	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
38. Sweet potatoes, including yams.	100% 1941	2½, 3 vacuum (404 x 307)	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
39. Soups: Limited to the below-listed kinds of seasonal and non-seasonal soups containing in the case of all soups except mushroom and bean, no less than the specified percentage, by weight, of dry solids from dairy products in any form, poultry or poultry products in any form, fresh, brined, or frozen meats, fish, vegetables, and other products of the kinds listed in the Schedule. Mushroom or bean soup shall contain no less than the specified percentage of salt-free solids:				
a. Seasonal soups: (From fresh vegetables).				
Kinds, minimum solids: Asparagus, pea, spinach, tomato 7% dry solids; mushroom 18½% salt-free solids.	Unlimited	1 picnic	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
b. Non-seasonal soups:				
Kinds, minimum solids: Chicken, chicken gumbo, chicken noodle, gumbo creole, consomme, bouillon and chicken broth, 6% dry solids. Clam or fish chowders, turtle, 8% dry solids. Scotch broth, vegetable, vegetable-vegetarian, pepper pot, oxtail, mock turtle, country style chicken and corn chowder, 10% dry solids. Beef and vegetable beef, 12% dry solids. Dried bean, 23% salt-free solids.	100% 1942. Products are interchangeable.	1 picnic	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
40. Green leafy vegetables.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
41. Pimientos and sweet peppers.	75% 1941	2½, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
42. Tomatoes.	Unlimited	2, 2½, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
43. Tomato catsup, not less than 25% (specific gravity 1.11) by weight of total dry solids.	Unlimited	2½, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
44. Tomato juice, containing no other vegetable juices.	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
45. Tomato juice, containing not more than 30% of other vegetable juices.	Unlimited	2, 3 Cyl, 10	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
46. Tomato sauce (from fresh tomatoes) including spaghetti sauce, containing not less than 8.7% (specific gravity 1.037) by weight, of dry tomato solids and not less than 10.0% (specific gravity 1.042) by weight of total dry solids, salt free. In addition to salt, the contents may contain pepper, spice oils, and other flavoring ingredients. (See note after Item 49.)	Unlimited	8Z short	1.25 tin	1.5 tin.
47. Tomato sauce (from tomato paste, pulp or puree) including spaghetti sauce, containing not less than 8.7% (specific gravity 1.037) by weight of dry tomato solids and not less than 10.0% (specific gravity 1.042) by weight of total dry solids, salt free. In addition to salt, the contents may contain pepper, spice oils, and other flavoring ingredients. (See note after Item 49.)	125% 1942	8Z short, 1 picnic	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
48. Tomato paste, from fresh tomatoes, containing not less than 25% by weight of dry tomato solids. (See note after Item 49.)	Unlimited	6Z	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
49. Tomato pulp or puree, from fresh tomatoes, containing not less than 10.7% (specific gravity 1.045) and not more than 25% by weight of dry tomato solids. (See note after this item.)	Unlimited	1 picnic	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.

NOTE: Tomato paste, tomato pulp or puree, and tomato sauce, may be repacked from No. 10, or from 5 gallon or larger reusable cans when required for packing other products, or for repacking in different form (other than in the form of tomato paste, or tomato pulp or puree) but none may be repacked in the same form. No. 10 cans cut under this provision must be properly cleaned and returned to the nearest detinning plant.

Product (1)	Packing quota (2)	Can sizes (3)	Can materials	
			Body (4)	Ends (5)
Fish and shellfish (Processed, and in hermetically sealed cans)				
50. Clams, soft, hard or razor	Unlimited	1/4 flat (307 x 200.25) or (307 x 201.25), 1 picnic (211 x 400), 1 tall (301 x 411), 2 (307 x 409), 10 (603 x 700)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
51. Crabmeat	Unlimited	1/4 flat (307 x 201.25)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
52. Fishflakes. Dried fishflakes not to be packed	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407), 2 (307 x 409)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
53. Ground fish, containing no filler	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
54. Fish livers and fish liver oils	Unlimited	5 gal.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
55. Fish roe	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407), 1/2 oval (513 x 307 x 103)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
56. Herring, Atlantic Sea by whatever name known, including sardines.	Unlimited	3/4 drawn (300.5 x 404 x 014.5), 3/4 drawn (304 x 508 x 105), 3/4 three piece (308 x 412 x 112) 300 x (300 x 407).		
Round cans			0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
Oblong cans			1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
Oval cans			1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
57. Herring, Pacific Sea	Unlimited	1 tall (301 x 411)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
58. Herring, river including alewives	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407), 2 (307 x 409)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
59. Mackerel	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
60. Menhaden	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
61. Mullet	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
62. Mussels	Unlimited	1 picnic (211 x 400), 2 (307 x 409), 10 (603 x 700)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
63. Oysters. No. 1 picnic cans shall contain not less than 7 1/4 ounces of oysters by cut-out drained weight; No. 2 cans 14 ounces, and other permitted size cans shall contain a fill correspondingly proportionate to the No. 1 picnic can.	Unlimited	1 picnic (211 x 400), 1 tall (301 x 411), 2 (307 x 409)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
64. Pilchards, by whatever name known, including sardines.	Unlimited	8Z short (211 x 300) 1/2 oblong (304 x 508 x 103) or (306 x 510 x 104), 300 (300 x 407), 1 oval (607 x 406 x 108).		
Round cans			0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
Oval cans			1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
Oblong cans			1.50 tin	1.25 tin.
65. Salmon	Unlimited	1/2 flat (307 x 200.25) or (307 x 201.25), 1 flat (401 x 210.5) or (401 x 211), 1 tall (301 x 411).	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
66. Shad	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
67. Shrimp	Unlimited	1 picnic (211 x 400), 5 (502 x 410)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
68. Squid	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
69. Tuna, bonito or yellowtail	Unlimited	1/2 tuna (307 x 113), 1 tuna (401 x 205.5) 4 lb. tuna (603 x 408)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
70. Turtle	Unlimited	300 (300 x 407)	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
Dairy products				
71. Condensed milk, as defined by the Federal Security Administrator	Unlimited	14 oz.	0.75 tin	0.75 tin.
72. Evaporated milk, as defined by Federal Security Administrator	Unlimited			
Until Sept. 30, 1945		14 1/2 oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
After Sept. 30, 1945		14 1/2 oz.	.75 tin	.75 tin.
Until March 31, 1945		6 oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
After March 31, 1945		6 oz.	.75 tin	.75 tin.
73. Liquid modifications of milk, including only milk treated or mixed with other edible substances; provided, the packer packed the product in substantially the same form in 1942.	Unlimited			
Until Sept. 30, 1945		14 1/2 oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
After Sept. 30, 1945		14 1/2 oz.	.75 tin	.75 tin.
Until March 31, 1945		6 oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
After March 31, 1945		6 oz.	.75 tin	.75 tin.
74. Bacon	None	14 lb.	1.25 tin	0.50 tin btm.
		24 oz.	0.50 tin	1.25 tin top.
75. Beef, veal, mutton and pork (including tushonka); corned, roast, or boiled, and containing not less than 85% meat by cooked weight:	None			
Cans with all seams soldered		Any size	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
Cans with only side seams soldered		Any size	0.50 tin	CTB.
76. Meat products as follows.	100% 1944. Products are interchangeable.			
a. Brains		10 1/2 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
b. Meat loaf, containing not less than 90% meat, by uncooked weight, with no added water. When packed as a chopped product, meat loaf may contain not more than 10% of the following ingredients: cereal, whole milk, eggs, and seasoning. Definitions of the Meat Inspection Division of the War Food Administration shall be used.		7 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
c. Meat spreads, including ham, tongue, liver, beef and sandwich spreads. When packed as a spread, the chopped product shall contain not less than 65% meat and/or meat by-products, by cooked weight, with added cereal or other products. When packed as deviled ham or deviled tongue, the product shall consist of chopped meat and/or meat by-products without added cereal or other products. Definitions of the Meat Inspection Division of the War Food Administration shall be used.		3 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
d. Sausage in casings, containing no cereal or similar substance and not to exceed 10% added water, by weight, except pork sausage, which may be prepared with not to exceed 3% added water by weight:				
Vienna sausage, frankfurters, pork sausage		4 oz., 9 oz., 12 oz., 16 oz., 24 oz., 10.	0.50 tin	CTB
Sausage in oil, lard or rendered pork fat		5.	0.50 tin	CTB.
e. Bulk sausage, containing not to exceed 3 1/2% cereal and not to exceed 3% added water, by weight.		24 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
f. Chopped luncheon meats, consisting of chopped seasoned meat, not to exceed 5% added water, by weight.		12 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB
g. Potted meat, consisting of chopped meat or by-products of meat, without added cereal or similar substance, and labeled as a potted or deviled meat product.		3 3/4 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
h. Tongue		6 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.

Product (1)	Packing quota (2)	Can sizes (3)	Can materials	
			Body (4)	Ends (5)
Dairy products—Continued				
77. Whole hams	75% 1941	Any size	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
78. Corned beef hash, when packed according to War Food Administration standards.	50% 1941	300	0.50 tin	CTB.
79. Chile con carne with or without beans when packed according to War Food Administration standards.	50% 1941	300	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
80. Turkey, boned, and chicken, boned	50% 1941	6 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
Miscellaneous food products				
81. Baby foods: a. Consisting of food products of small particle size or in liquid or semi-liquid form made from the following ingredients: fruits, vegetables, meats, poultry products, dairy products, sugar, salt, or seasoning, yeast or derivatives. Dried prunes may be included and frozen fruits and vegetables may be used. Potatoes and cereal products may be used only in combination with other permitted products, and only provided the combined potato and cereal content does not exceed 12%, by weight, of the total product.	Unlimited	202 BF (202 x 214)	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
b. Milk formulas, liquid. Until Sept. 30, 1945.	Unlimited	14½ oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
After Sept. 30, 1945.	Unlimited	300	0.75 tin	0.75 tin.
c. Soybean milk, liquid.	Unlimited	1 lb.	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
d. Milk formulas, dry or powdered	Unlimited	5 gal.	0.50 tin	CTB.
82. Dehydrated vegetables, including soups	Unlimited	Any	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
83. Grape juice and grape pulp. (See note after Item 84).	Unlimited	5 gal.	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
84. Citrus pulp and citrus peel. (See note after this item)	Unlimited	5 gal.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
NOTE.—When required for packing other products, grape juice, grape pulp, citrus pulp and citrus peel may be repacked from 5 gallons or larger cans.				
85. Honey	Unlimited	5 lb.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
86. Goat milk	Unlimited	14½ oz.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
87. Milk, skimmed, dry or powdered	Unlimited	50 lb.	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
88. Milk, whole, dry or powdered	Unlimited	1 lb., 2½ lb., 5 lb.	.50 tin	CTB.
		25 lb., 50 lb.	.50 tin	.50 tin.
89. Liquid edible oils, including only animal, vegetable, olive, fish and other marine animal, and edible blends of such oils.	Unlimited	5 gal.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
	125% 1944 tonnage packed in 1 gal. or larger size cans and glass.	1 gal.	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
90. Citrus concentrates: Grapefruit, orange, lemon and blends.	Unlimited	6Z, 1 picnic, 2, 2½, 10.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
91. Butter and margarine	Unlimited	No 10	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
92. Syrups, cane, maple, molasses, sorghum, and corn, including blends of these syrups.	150% of 1944 tonnage packed in No. 10 and gallon size cans and glass.	5 lb.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
93. Chocolate syrup	125% 1944	10 or 10 lb.	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
94. Pectin, liquid only	Unlimited	5 gal.	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
95. Beer, packed for U. S. Army export or U. S. Navy off-shore use only.	None	12 oz.	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
96. Salted nuts, packed for U. S. Army export or U. S. Navy off-shore use only.	None	8 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
97. Frozen cream	100% 1941	50 lb.	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
98. Frozen eggs	75% of 1943 frozen tonnage packed in all containers.	30 lb.	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
99. Shrimp, fresh cooked Alaska only (refrigerated shipment)	Unlimited	10.	1.25 tin	0.50 tin.
100. Hominy	25% 1941	No. 2	0.50 tin	CTB.
101. Cod fish cakes	35% 1941	10 oz.	0.50 tin	CTB.
Non-food products				
102. Alcohol (excluding anti-freeze).				
a. Pharmaceutical and Chemically pure	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
b. Industrial	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	CTB.
103. Anti-Freeze Ethylene glycol type	100% 1941	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
104. Aniline	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
105. Auto supplies only as follows:				
a. Radiator anti-rust compounds, liquid	Unlimited	Any	0.25 tin	0.25 tin.
b. Carbon removers	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
c. Radiator stop-leak	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
106. Bee feeder cans for use in shipping bees	Unlimited	Any	0.50 tin	CTB.
107. Blood plasma	Unlimited	Any	0.50 tin	CTB.
108. Carbon bisulfide	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
109. Cements, only as follows:				
a. Neoprene base rubber cement	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
b. Other synthetic rubbers; natural rubber, linoleum, latex types	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
110. Chemicals (dry) only as follows:				
a. Phenols	Unlimited	Any	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
b. Ammonium salts	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
111. Chemicals (liquid) only as follows:				
a. Alcohols, Aldehyde and Halogenated Hydrocarbon	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
b. Sodium Silicate	Unlimited	Any	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
112. Cleaners only as follows:				
a. Wall paper	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
b. Window spray	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
c. Radiator liquid	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
113. Chloroform and ether	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
114. Chlorpicrin, bromacetone, monochloracetone and acrolein	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
115. Deodorizers	100% 1941	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
116. Dyes (food)	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
117. Fire extinguisher fluid or powders	100% 1941	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
118. Glues and adhesives	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
119. Glycerine	Unlimited	Any	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
120. Grain fumigant, liquid	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
121. Hydraulic brake fluid	Unlimited	Any	SCMT	SCMT.
122. Insecticides and fungicides, liquid	100% 1944	Any	0.25 tin	CTB.
123. Motor oil	25% 1941	Any	0.25 tin	CTB.
124. Nicotine sulphate	Unlimited	Any	1.50 tin	1.50 tin.
125. Oils, essential; distilled or cold pressed	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
126. Oils, transformer	Unlimited	Any	0.50 tin	0.50 tin.
127. Paints, copper bottom or antifouling	Unlimited	Any	1.25 tin	1.25 tin.
128. Paint products only as follows:				
a. Pigmented oil paint	60% 1941	Any	SCMT	CTB.
b. Varnishes	Products are interchangeable.	Any	SCMT	CTB.
c. Aluminum paint		Any	SCMT	CTB.
d. Paste water paints, including resin emulsion		Any	SCMT	SCMT.
e. Lacquers, clear and pigmented		Any	SCMT	SCMT.

Product (1)	Packing quota (2)	Can sizes (3)	Can materials	
			Body (4)	Ends (5)
Non-food products—Continued				
129. Plastic wood.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	1.25 tin.....	1.25 tin.
130. Phenol.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	1.50 tin.....	1.50 tin.
131. Phosphorus.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	1.25 tin.....	1.25 tin.
132. Potassium permanganate, reagent grade.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	1.25 tin.....	1.25 tin.
133. Rust preventative.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	SCMT.....	CTB.
134. Shellac.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	8 poundterne plate.	8 poundterne plate.
135. Soap, liquid.....	100% 1941.....	Any.....	1.25 tin.....	1.25 tin.
136. Sodium and potassium metals.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	1.25 tin.....	1.25 tin.
137. Sodium peroxide.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	0.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.
138. Turpentine.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	SCMT.....	SCMT.
139. Varnish and paint removers.....	Unlimited.....	Any.....	0.50 tin.....	0.50 tin.

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PART 3270—CONTAINERS

[Preference Rating Order P-152]

METAL STRAPPING

To facilitate the acquisition of metal strapping and seals and strapping tools, accessories and fittings in the public interest and to promote the defense of the United States, preference ratings are hereby assigned to deliveries of these items upon the following terms.

§ 3270.81 *Preference Rating Order P-152—(a) Definitions.* For the purposes of this order:

(1) "Strapping" means any round wire or flat band made of metal, (whether plain, punched, embossed, twisted or double edge) which is used in connection with the shipment or delivery of materials. The term includes reinforcement edging for returnable delivery cases (bottle box), and metal seals for flat strapping. It does not include "fittings" as defined in paragraph (a) (4) below, metal hoops, stitching wire, cotton bale ties, baling wire used without hand or power operated strapping tools, or binding and stitching wire used in the manufacture of wirebound boxes.

(2) "Tools" means hand or power operated stretchers, sealers, tying tools, snips and cutting tools, or combinations thereof, for use in the application of strapping.

(3) "Accessories" means metal or wood reels, coil holders, coil trays, reel trucks, strapping bucks, anchor threaders and strapping tables used in the application of strapping.

(4) "Fittings" means all of the items listed on Schedule A at the end of this order.

(5) "Carloading" means the use of strapping to secure or brace packaged or loose material in or on vehicles. The term does not include the use of strapping for the purposes defined in subparagraphs (6), (7), (8) and (9) of this paragraph (a).

(6) "Skidloading" means the use of strapping to secure materials, packaged or otherwise, to skids or pallets. The term does not include the use of strapping for container reinforcement as defined in subparagraph (9) below.

(7) "Baling" means the use of strapping to secure or hold compressed materials in bales.

(8) "Bundling" means the strapping together of loose or packaged materials

(generally not compressed) into bundles or lifts, and the internal bracing of materials in containers. It shall not include the use of strapping for container reinforcement as defined in subparagraph (9) below.

(9) "Container reinforcement" means the external strapping of single containers of merchandise to reinforce and protect the package and its contents against damage in transit or to permit the use of less wood or paperboard in the component parts of boxes, crates and cartons.

Assignment of Ratings

(b) *Strapping for uses other than container reinforcement.* (1) Any person may use a rating of AA-1 to get strapping which he will use for carloading, skidloading, baling or bundling.

(2) When he uses a rating under this paragraph, he must, in addition to the certification described in paragraph (c) below, certify in writing to his supplier substantially as follows:

All of the strapping covered by this purchase order will be used for carloading, skidloading, baling or bundling, as defined in Order P-152.

No person may use any strapping acquired with the rating assigned by this paragraph (b) for any purpose other than carloading, skidloading, baling or bundling unless he first obtains the written permission of the War Production Board.

The provisions of this paragraph (b) (2) do not apply to strapping purchased directly by the U. S. Army or the U. S. Navy on orders identified by Army or Navy contract numbers.

(c) *Strapping for container reinforcement—(1) Common carriers.* A common carrier may use a rating of AA-1 to get strapping which it will use itself for container reinforcement.

(2) *Other persons.* Any person, other than a common carrier, may use the same rating to get strapping for container reinforcement as he could to get the containers in connection with which the strapping will be used under either Order P-140 or Order P-146. If he uses strapping out of his inventory for container reinforcement, he may replace it with the rating which he used to get the containers on which the strapping was used.

(d) *AAA ratings.* Any person who receives an order rated AAA may use

that rating to get strapping which he will actually use to deliver that order.

(e) *Ratings for tools, accessories and fittings.* Any person may use his blanket MRO rating to get tools, accessories and fittings. He may not use this rating to get strapping for any purpose.

(f) *Special ratings.* The War Production Board may assign special ratings in addition to those automatically assigned by this order. Application for special rating should be filed on Form WPB-4161.

(g) *Strapping for reinforcement edging.* Any person may use a rating of AA-5 to get strapping for the reinforcement edging of containers (generally multiple trip returnable containers). He may not use any other rating except a special rating (paragraph (f)) for this purpose.

(h) *Strapping for export.* A person may use a rating assigned for strapping by the Foreign Economic Administration to get strapping which will be exported, unused, to a foreign country.

No ratings, except those assigned pursuant to this paragraph (h) or pursuant to paragraph (f) (special rating), may be used to get strapping which will be delivered, unused, to any foreign country, unless the strapping is to be delivered directly to and used directly by an agency of the United States Government.

(i) *Direct purchases of strapping by certain agencies.* The Army, the Navy, the Maritime Commission and the War Shipping Administration may use ratings which they assign to get strapping which will be delivered directly to them and used directly by them.

Producers and Distributors of Strapping

(j) *Procurement of strapping by "distributors"—(1) Definition.* Whenever used in this paragraph (j) a "distributor" shall mean a person engaged in the business of selling strapping, tools, accessories and fittings to users—whether he fabricates these items himself or not. The term shall not include a steel mill or warehouse which sells strip steel or wire in strapping sizes as a controlled material.

Each branch outlet owned or controlled by the same person is considered a separate distributor under this paragraph (j).

(2) *How distributors get strapping from other distributors.* Subject to the

provisions of paragraph (l) below, a distributor may extend his customers' ratings to get strapping, tools, accessories or fittings from another distributor, for delivery on the rated orders or to replace in inventory any strapping, tools, accessories or fittings so delivered. When he extends his customers' ratings for inventory replacement purposes, he must do so in accordance with Priorities Regulation 3. He may not use a rating applied to a purchase order for one of the items which this order covers, (for instance, strapping) to get another item, (for instance, fittings or tools).

(3) *How a distributor must distribute strapping to his branch outlets.* No distributor may deliver strapping, tools, accessories or fittings to a branch outlet owned or controlled by him, except, as provided in Priorities Regulation 1, in accordance with the preference ratings extended to him by such branch outlet. Likewise, he may not cause strip steel or wire to be delivered from a controlled materials producer or controlled materials warehouse to a branch outlet (other than a plant or warehouse customarily used by him as a central point from which strapping, tools, accessories and fittings are delivered to his branch outlets) except in accordance with the preference ratings extended to such central point by the branch outlet.

(k) *Use of strapping by strapping manufacturers and distributors.* Any strapping manufacturer or distributor may use strapping, tools, accessories and fittings out of his own stocks for his shipments of these items regardless of whether this would prevent or delay the acceptance or fulfillment of rated orders for strapping, tools, accessories and fittings.

(l) *Limitation on use of ratings by persons owning production facilities.* No rated order for strapping, tools, accessories or fittings need be accepted if the person applying or extending the rating owns or controls facilities on which he normally produces strapping, tools, accessories or fittings. The only exception to this rule is where the purchaser's facilities are required to fill higher rated orders or previously received orders bearing an equal rating, or where the War Production Board specifically directs the acceptance of the rated order.

In order to avail himself of the provisions of this paragraph (1) a person who gets a rated order must first notify the person applying or extending the rating of his claim that this paragraph excuses acceptance of the rated order.

Existing Unfilled Orders

(m) *Permitted rerating of existing orders.* Preference ratings assigned or permitted to be used by this order may be applied or extended to any unfilled order for strapping, tools, accessories or fittings placed prior to April 6, 1945. Any rating so applied or extended is a rerating under the provisions of Priorities Regulation 12.

(n) *Termination of existing ratings on unfilled orders.* All ratings applied or extended to any order for strapping, tools, accessories or fittings before April 6, 1945, shall be ineffective after May 21, 1945. If delivery is not made before the

last mentioned date and the order is not rerated in accordance with paragraph (m) above, the order shall be regarded as bearing an AA-5 rating and shall be scheduled and filled accordingly.

Certification

(o) *How the ratings provided for in this order may be applied or extended.* The ratings assigned or permitted to be used by this order may be applied or extended only by use of a certificate in substantially the following form, signed manually or as provided in Priorities Regulation 7:

The undersigned purchaser certifies, subject to the penalties of section 35 (A) of the U. S. Criminal Code, to the seller and to the War Production Board that he is entitled to apply or extend the preference rating set forth on this order and that such application or extension is in accordance with Priorities Regulation 3, and with the provisions of Order P-152.

The standard certificate provided for in paragraph (d) of Priorities Regulation 7 may not be used in place of the above certificate; nor may the certificate provided by this order be waived in accordance with paragraph (f) of Priorities Regulation 7.

Inventories

(p) *Inventory limitation.* No person shall knowingly deliver to any person, except a distributor or manufacturer of strapping, and no person except a distributor or manufacturer of strapping shall accept delivery of any quantity of strapping if such person's total inventory is, or will by virtue of such delivery become, in excess of the greater of (1) \$300 worth of strapping, or (2) his reasonably anticipated requirements for strapping for the ensuing forty-five days.

The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to deliveries of strapping to the U. S. Army or Navy, nor to their acceptance of strapping.

Miscellaneous

(q) *Restrictions on use and acceptance of ratings.* No person may use any rating except as provided in this order to get strapping, tools, accessories or fittings. No person receiving an order for strapping, tools, accessories or fittings shall give effect to any preference rating applied or extended thereto on or after April 6, 1945, if he knows or has reason to believe that the rating has not been applied or extended in accordance with the provisions of this order.

(r) *Reports.* All persons affected by this order shall execute and file with the War Production Board, such reports and questionnaires as said Board shall from time to time request, subject to the approval of the Bureau of the Budget pursuant to the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(s) *Applicability of regulations.* Except to the extent that this order specifies to the contrary, this order and all transactions affected thereby are subject to all applicable provisions of the regulations of the War Production Board as amended from time to time. For instance, when this order allows a rating to be used for inventory replacement, this must be done in accordance with Priorities Regulation 3.

(t) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who, in connection with this order, wilfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction, may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or accepting further deliveries of or from processing or using material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

(u) *Communications.* All reports to be filed hereunder, and all communications concerning this order shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: War Production Board, Containers Division, Washington 25, D. C., Ref.: P-152.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
Recording Secretary.

SCHEDULE A

The following items are covered by the definition of fittings in paragraph (a) (4) of this order:

- (a) Corner protectors—stake pocket protectors.
- (b) Antiskid plates.
- (c) Anchor and brakeman plates.
- (d) Anchor nails and drive screws.
- (e) Carloading stays and car banding loops.
- (f) Box and crate fasteners and corner irons and straps.
- (g) Barbed straps and fasteners—bung straps.
- (h) Butter tub cover fasteners and pall fasteners.
- (i) Poultry box hooks.
- (j) Flexible clasps—revenue stamp protectors.
- (k) Shingle bands—citrus straps and wires.
- (l) Watch dog seals—seals and arrows.
- (m) Drawer clips—separators.
- (n) Corrugated joint fasteners.
- (o) Strapping staples—plain and cement coated.

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PART 3290—TEXTILE, CLOTHING AND LEATHER

[General Conservation Order M-310, General Direction 13 as Amended Apr. 6, 1945]

CUTTING OF MANUFACTURERS'-BENDS-FOR-REPAIR

The following amended general direction is issued pursuant to General Conservation Order M-310:

Notwithstanding the provisions of Schedule B, no cutter shall cut any manufacturers'-bends-for-repair which are delivered to him during the period from February 12, 1945, through May 31, 1945, under individual Direction L-114 to M-310 (issued to tanners) except into leather for civilian shoe repair purposes. Only manufacturers'-bends-for-repair delivered under invoices bearing substantially the following notation shall be regarded as having been delivered under Direction L-114:

Delivered under Direction L-114 to Order M-310.

No cutter shall cut more than 30% of these bends into strips, and no strip shall exceed eleven inches. The remainder of the bends

shall be cut into taps suitable for women's shoes.

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WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,
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Chapter XI—Office of Price Administration

PART 1351—FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[RMFR 271, Amdt. 32]

POTATOES AND ONIONS

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment has been issued and filed with the Division of the Federal Register.

In section 9 (c) the text preceding the example is amended to read as follows:

If a country shipper makes a sale of potatoes or onions in a less-than-carlot or less-than-trucklot quantity and delivers the goods to the premises of a retail store or restaurant where the goods are to be sold or served to ultimate consumers, the maximum price for that sale is the maximum price otherwise figured under paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section plus 60¢ per cwt. for potatoes and 40¢ per 50 pounds for onions.

This amendment shall become effective April 11, 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

CHESTER BOWLES,
Administrator.

Approved: March 29, 1945.

MARVIN JONES,
War Food Administrator.

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PART 1394—RATIONING OF FUEL AND FUEL PRODUCTS

[RO 5C, Amdt. 183]

MILEAGE RATIONING: GASOLINE REGULATIONS

A rationale accompanying this amendment issued simultaneously herewith has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.

Ration Order 5C is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 1394.8102 (b) (2) is amended to read as follows:

(2) Every supplemental ration issued for use in connection with the employment of a ration holder at a plant, establishment or facility at which an organized transportation plan has been established, and every supplemental ration issued for driving by an officer, agent, representative or employee of a government or government agency for carrying on the official business of such government or government agency shall expire upon termination of the employment of the ration holder at such plant, establishment or facility, or for such government or government agency, if the com-

mittee or official in charge of the organized transportation plan or the Government Mileage Administrator who has jurisdiction to certify the application has been given authority to accept the surrender of expired rations. When a ration expires for this reason, or for any of the reasons set forth in paragraph (f) (2), all unused coupons representing such ration shall be surrendered immediately by the holder thereof to such committee or official, Government Mileage Administrator or to the issuing Board. If such ration is evidenced by credits in a ration bank account, the holder shall immediately issue to such committee or official, Government Mileage Administrator or to the issuing Board a ration check, payable to the Office of Price Administration for the net balance in his account representing such expired ration after deducting the aggregate gallonage of all outstanding checks. A committee or official in charge of an organized transportation plan or a Government Mileage Administrator to whom any ration coupons or a ration check is surrendered shall issue a receipt therefor in duplicate on Form OPA R-599 and shall cancel all coupons surrendered. The committee or official or the Government Mileage Administrator shall give the original of the receipt to the person surrendering the evidences and shall forward the duplicate of the receipt together with the surrendered coupons or ration check to the District Director having jurisdiction over the area in which such plant, establishment or facility or the office of the Government Mileage Administrator is located.

2. Section 1394.8102 (b) (3) is amended to read as follows:

(3) The committee or official in charge of an organized transportation plan at a plant, establishment or facility or a Government Mileage Administrator may be given authority to accept the surrender of expired rations by the District Director having jurisdiction over the area in which such plant, establishment or facility or the office of the Government Mileage Administrator is located.

This amendment shall become effective May 1, 1945.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421 and 507, 77th Cong.; W. P. B. Dir. No. 1, Supp. Dir. No. 1Q, 7 F.R. 562, 9121; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719)

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PART 1418—TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

[MPR 395, Amdt. 40]

RAW CANE SUGAR IN VIRGIN ISLANDS

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.

Section 47 is added to read as follows:

SEC. 47. Maximum prices at wholesale and at retail for raw cane sugar, produced, sold and delivered in the Virgin

Islands of the United States. The maximum prices for raw cane sugar of not less than 96 degrees polarization produced, sold and delivered in the Virgin Islands of the United States shall be as follows:

TABLE XXXVII—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR SALES OF RAW CANE SUGAR OF NOT LESS THAN 96 DEGREES POLARIZATION

	To whole-salers (ex-warehouse or factory per 100 pounds)	At whole-sale (per 100 pounds)	At retail (per pound)
Island of St. Croix....	\$3.60	\$4.00	\$0.05.
Island of St. Thomas..	3.60	4.40	2 lbs. for 11¢.
Island of St. John....	3.60	4.40	2 lbs. for 11¢.

¹ These prices are for sugar delivered or not, except in the case of the Island of St. Thomas, where the price is a delivered price.

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Chapter XXIII—Surplus Property Board

[SPB Reg. 1]

PART 8301—DESIGNATION OF DISPOSAL AGENCIES AND PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING SURPLUS PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

- Sec.
- 8301.1 Surplus War Property Administration Regulation No. 1 superseded in part.
 - 8301.2 Definitions.
 - 8301.3 Designation of disposal agencies, continental United States.
 - 8301.4 Use of Standard Commodity Classification for purpose of assignments.
 - 8301.5 Sale of small quantities.
 - 8301.6 Designation of disposal agencies; territories and possessions.
 - 8301.7 Territories and possessions; transportation of surplus property to continental United States.
 - 8301.8 Declaration of surplus property.
 - 8301.9 Declaration of surplus personal property; forms; description of property; where filed.
 - 8301.10 Declaration of surplus personal property; special information from owning agencies.
 - 8301.11 Declaration of surplus personal property; contractor inventories.
 - 8301.12 Filing declarations of surplus personal property in conjunction with declarations of surplus real property.
 - 8301.13 Declaration of surplus real property.
 - 8301.14 Forwarding declarations of surplus; notice.
 - 8301.15 Territories and possessions; filing declarations of surplus property.
 - 8301.16 Withdrawals.
 - 8301.17 Regulations by disposal agencies to be reported to the Surplus Property Board.
 - 8301.18 Authority of disposal agencies to dispose of surplus property.
 - 8301.19 Orders, amendment and repeal.

AUTHORITY: §§ 8301.1 to 8301.19, inclusive, issued under Surplus Property Act of 1944, Pub. Law 457, 78th Cong., 2d Sess.; 58 Stat. 765.

¹ 8 F.R. 15587, 15663; 9 F.R. 2298, 3589, 4027, 4647, 5379, 6151, 7504, 7771, 7852, 8931, 9356, 9783, 10089, 10199, 10981, 10778, 12270, 12475, 13262; 10 F.R. 1834, 2248, 2969.

§ 8301.1 *Surplus War Property Administration Regulation No. 1 superseded in part.* As of the effective date of this regulation, Surplus War Property Administration Regulation No. 1, as amended (9 F.R. 5096, 9182, and 12069), is hereby superseded and rescinded except insofar as it deals with disposals by owning agencies and with contractor inventories or termination inventories.

§ 8301.2 *Definitions*—(a) *Act.* The term "act" means the Surplus Property Act of 1944 (Pub. Law 457, 78th Cong., 2d Sess.; 58 Stat. 765).

(b) *Board.* The term "Board" means the Surplus Property Board.

(c) *Government agency.* The term "Government agency" means any executive department, board, bureau, commission, or other agency in the executive branch of the Federal Government, or any corporation wholly owned (either directly or through one or more corporations) by the United States.

(d) *Owning agency.* The term "owning agency", in the case of any property, means the executive department, the independent agency in the executive branch of the Federal Government, or the corporation (if a Government agency), having control of such property otherwise than solely as a disposal agency.

(e) *Disposal agency.* The term "disposal agency" means any Government agency designated under this regulation to dispose of one or more classes of surplus property.

(f) *Property.* The term "property" means any interest, owned by the United States, or any Government agency, in real or personal property, of any kind, but does not include (1) the public domain, or such lands withdrawn or reserved from the public domain as the Surplus Property Board determines are suitable for return to the public domain for disposition under the general land laws, or (2) naval vessels of the following categories: Battleships, cruisers, aircraft carriers, destroyers, and submarines.

(g) *Surplus property.* The term "surplus property" means any property which has been determined to be surplus to the needs and responsibilities of the owning agency in accordance with section 11 of the act.

(h) *Contractor inventory.* The term "contractor inventory" means (1) any property related to a terminated contract of any type with a Government agency or to a subcontract thereunder; and (2) any property acquired under a contract pursuant to the terms of which title is vested in the Government, and in excess of the amounts needed to complete performance thereunder; and (3) any property which the Government is obligated to take over under any type of contract as a result of any change in the specifications or plans thereunder.

(i) *Continental United States.* The term "continental United States" means the 48 States and the District of Columbia.

(j) *Standard Commodity Classification.* The term "Standard Commodity Classification" means the Standard Classification List of Commodities (U. S. Government Printing Office) sponsored by the Bureau of the Budget, the War Pro-

duction Board and by the Treasury Department, Procurement Division.

(k) *Handbook of Standards.* The terms "Handbook of Standards for Describing Surplus Property" and "Handbook" mean the Handbook of Standards for Describing Surplus Property prepared for the Surplus War Property Administration by the War Production Board (U. S. Government Printing Office).

(l) *Real property.* The term "real property" as used in this regulation means all classes of real property and is not limited to the definition thereof as contained in section 23 of the act.

(m) *Section 23 real property.* The term "section 23 real property" means property consisting of land, together with any fixtures and improvements thereon, located outside of the District of Columbia, but does not include war housing, industrial plants, factories, or similar structures and facilities, or the sites thereof, or land which the Board determines is essential to the use of any of the foregoing.

§ 8301.3 *Designation of disposal agencies; continental United States.* The following Government agencies are hereby designated as disposal agencies under the act for surplus property located within the continental United States:

(a) *Consumer goods; Treasury Department.* The Treasury Department is hereby designated as the disposal agency for consumer goods. The general class of property, "consumer goods", includes:

(1) Property assigned to Treasury Department by Order No. 1 under this regulation (including automotive vehicles, parts and equipment, house trailers, construction and farm machinery).

(b) *Capital and producer's goods; Reconstruction Finance Corporation.* The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby designated as the disposal agency for capital and producer's goods. The general class of property, "capital and producer's goods" includes:

(1) Property assigned to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation by Order No. 1 under this regulation (including aircraft and property peculiar to aircraft).

(2) All industrial real property (including buildings and fixtures) and land which the Board shall determine is essential to the use of industrial plants, factories, or similar structures and facilities, except such marine industrial real property as is assigned by paragraph (c) of this section to the Maritime Commission.

(3) Personal property (including machinery, equipment and materials and products finished or in process) which is declared surplus together with and as a part of a plant or other industrial property. If Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall determine not to dispose of any such personal property as part of such plant or other industrial property, such personal property shall be assigned to the appropriate disposal agency as designated in this regulation and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation shall, upon its determination aforesaid, forward declarations of surplus covering such property to such disposal agency.

(4) Structures of a portable, demountable or prefabricated nature (except housing assigned to National Housing Agency by paragraph (e) of this section) including quonset and similar huts, when declared surplus separate from any sites thereof.

(c) *Ships and maritime property; Maritime Commission.* The United States Maritime Commission is hereby designated as the disposal agency for ships and maritime property. The general class of property, "ships and maritime property", includes:

(1) Property assigned to Maritime Commission by Order No. 1 under this regulation.

(2) Marine real property (including buildings and fixtures) such as shipyards, ship repair yards, and marine terminals, provided that nothing contained herein shall require the Maritime Commission in making disposition of such property to include in any deed, bill of sale or lease thereof any restrictions, covenants or conditions affecting the use of such property. If the Maritime Commission shall determine not to dispose of any such marine real property for use in connection with the building, repair, or operation of ships, such property shall constitute industrial real property. Upon such determination by the Commission such property shall be assigned to Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the Maritime Commission shall forward declarations of surplus covering such property to the Corporation.

(3) Personal property (including machinery, equipment, and materials and products finished or in process) which is declared as surplus to the Maritime Commission as part of marine real property. If the Maritime Commission shall determine not to dispose of any such personal property as part of such marine real property, such personal property shall be assigned to the appropriate disposal agency as designated in this regulation. Upon such determination, the Maritime Commission shall forward declarations of surplus covering such property to such disposal agency.

(d) *Agricultural commodities and food; War Food Administration.* The War Food Administration is hereby designated as the disposal agency for agricultural commodities and food. This general class of property, "agricultural commodities and food", includes:

(1) Property assigned to War Food Administration in Order No. 1 under this regulation.

(e) *Housing property; National Housing Agency.* The National Housing Agency is hereby designated as the disposal agency for housing property. The general class of property, "housing property", includes:

(1) Real property used for housing or housing projects or developments, together with the structures thereon.

(2) Housing of a portable, demountable or prefabricated nature (except house trailers) when declared surplus separate from any sites thereof.

(3) Personal property, such as housing equipment and furnishings, which is declared surplus to National Housing Agency as part of housing property. If National Housing Agency shall deter-

mine not to dispose of such personal property as part of housing property such personal property shall be assigned to the appropriate disposal agency designated in this regulation. Upon such determination, National Housing Agency shall forward declarations of surplus covering such property to such disposal agency.

(4) Community facilities (including such equipment and furnishings as are disposed of therewith) financed through National Housing Agency which may be used in connection with housing projects.

(5) Land which the Board determines is essential to the use of housing.

(f) *Section 23 real property.* The disposal agencies for section 23 real property located within the continental United States are hereby designated as follows: *Provided*, That the Board may assign any tract or parcel of such real property to any of the disposal agencies designated in this regulation regardless of its classification whenever the Board shall determine such assignment appropriate to facilitate disposal:

(1) *Agricultural and forest property; Department of Agriculture.* The Department of Agriculture is hereby designated as the disposal agency for such surplus section 23 real property as the Board shall classify as agricultural or forest property.

(2) *Grazing and mineral property; Department of the Interior.* The Department of the Interior is hereby designated as the disposal agency for such surplus section 23 real property as the Board shall classify as grazing or mineral property.

(3) *Section 23 housing property.* The National Housing Agency is designated in paragraph (e) of this section as the disposal agency for housing real property; this includes such section 23 real property as the Board shall classify as housing property.

(4) *Other section 23 real property; Federal Works Agency.* The Federal Works Agency is hereby designated as the disposal agency for community facilities financed through Federal Works Agency and for all surplus section 23 real property which does not come within the other classifications in this paragraph.

(g) *Airports.* Designation of a disposal agency for such real property as the Board shall classify as airports (together with necessary operating equipment) is not made in this regulation.

§ 8301.4 *Use of Standard Commodity Classification for purpose of assignments.* The assignments made in Order No. 1 under this regulation through the use of Standard Commodity Classification code numbers are intended to be in aid of and supplementary to the assignments of the general classes of property made in § 8301.3. If, therefore, items fall within a general class of property assigned by this regulation but these items are not listed in the Standard Commodity Classification, they shall be disposed of by the disposal agency to which the general class of property is assigned. Similarly, where Order No. 1 assigns an item of property to one disposal agency (for example, winches) and the Standard Commodity Classification does not

disclose that certain types of that same item are within the general class of property assigned to another disposal agency (for example, marine winches), such types shall be disposed of by the latter disposal agency.

§ 8301.5 *Sale of small quantities.* A disposal agency may dispose of property which is declared to it as surplus but which is assigned under this regulation to another disposal agency when the reported cost of the item is \$300 or less.

§ 8301.6 *Designation of disposal agencies; territories and possessions.* The following designations of Government agencies as disposal agencies for surplus property located in the territories and possessions of the United States are hereby made: *Provided*, That the Board may assign any real property located in the territories and possessions to any of the disposal agencies designated in this regulation regardless of its classification whenever the Board shall determine such assignment appropriate to facilitate disposal.

(a) *Aircraft and parts; Reconstruction Finance Corporation.* Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby designated as the disposal agency for surplus aircraft and property peculiar to aircraft located in any territory or possession of the United States.

(b) *Ships and maritime property; Maritime Commission.* The United States Maritime Commission is hereby designated as the disposal agency in all territories and possessions for the same class of property assigned to it for disposal in continental United States.

(c) *Agricultural commodities and food; War Food Administration.* The War Food Administration is hereby designated as the disposal agency in all territories and possessions for the same class of property assigned to it for disposal in continental United States.

(d) *All other property; Department of the Interior.* The Department of the Interior is hereby designated as the disposal agency in all territories and possessions for all property, real and personal, not otherwise assigned under this section.

§ 8301.7 *Territories and possessions; transportation of surplus property to continental United States.* No property located in a territory or possession of the United States which has been declared surplus to the appropriate disposal agency shall be transported to the continental United States without the consent of the disposal agency in the continental United States to which such property has been assigned. Disposal of such property within the continental United States shall be made only by the disposal agency designated to act as such for property located within the continental United States.

§ 8301.8 *Declaration of surplus property.* Each owning agency shall pursuant to section 11 (a) of the act, continuously survey property in its control and determine that which is surplus to its needs and responsibilities, and, except for such property as the owning agency itself is authorized to dispose of, it shall report such surplus property to the Board and to the appropriate disposal

agency as designated in this regulation. The reporting of such surplus personal property by an owning agency to a disposal agency or of such surplus real property to the Board shall constitute a declaration of surplus.

§ 8301.9 *Declaration of surplus personal property; forms; description of property; where filed.* Owning agencies shall declare surplus personal property to the Board and to the appropriate disposal agencies on forms as prescribed by the Board in Order No. 3 under this regulation. The property shall be described in sufficient detail to furnish the disposal agency with an adequate basis for disposal. The minimum standards of description prescribed by the Handbook of Standards for Describing Surplus Property shall be used as a guide for all such descriptions. Declarations of surplus personal property located within the continental United States shall be filed on forms prescribed by Order No. 3 under this regulation at the office of the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C., and at the office of the appropriate disposal agencies as follows:

(a) *Treasury Department.* At the regional office for the region wherein the surplus property is located, unless otherwise indicated in Order No. 2 under this regulation. The locations of these regional offices are set forth in Order No. 2 under this regulation.

(b) *Reconstruction Finance Corporation.* At the regional office for the region wherein the surplus property is located, except as otherwise indicated in Order No. 2 under this regulation. The locations of these regional offices are set forth in Order No. 2 under this regulation.

(c) *Maritime Commission.* At the office of the United States Maritime Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

(d) *War Food Administration.* At the Office of the Commodity Credit Corporation, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C.

(e) *National Housing Agency.* For housing declared surplus separate from the sites thereof—at the office of the National Housing Agency, Washington 25, D. C.

§ 8301.10 *Declaration of surplus personal property; special information from owning agencies—(a) Limitations on power of disposal.* Declarations of surplus personal property shall fully set forth any legal restrictions upon the authority of the government to dispose of any personal property, including any restrictions upon the disposal or use thereof arising from any patents or any contract relating thereto.

(b) *Red Cross property.* Declarations of surplus personal property shall designate any such property known to have been processed, produced or donated by the American Red Cross.

§ 8301.11 *Declaration of surplus personal property; contractor inventories.* If an owning agency takes possession of any contractor inventory located in continental United States, it may declare such property surplus to the regional office of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for the region wherein the property is located. If any property so de-

clared is of a class other than that which is assigned to Reconstruction Finance Corporation by this regulation, the Corporation shall make the necessary classification and forward the declarations to the appropriate disposal agencies.

§ 8301.12 *Filing declarations of surplus personal property in conjunction with declarations of surplus real property.* Declarations of surplus personal property made in conjunction with declarations of surplus real property shall be filed with the declarations of the real property.

§ 8301.13 *Declaration of surplus real property.* Declarations to the Board and to the appropriate disposal agency of all surplus real property (whether or not section 23 real property) shall be filed with the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C. on forms prescribed in Order No. 3 under this regulation. The Board will transmit the declaration to the appropriate disposal agency and will notify the owning agency thereof.

§ 8301.14 *Forwarding declarations of surplus; notice.* Whenever surplus declarations are forwarded by one disposal agency to another under this regulation, the forwarding disposal agency shall so notify the Board and the owning agency that filed the declaration.

§ 8301.15 *Territories and possessions; filing declarations of surplus property.*—

(a) *Surplus personal property.* Declarations of surplus personal property located in the territories and possessions of the United States shall be filed on the forms prescribed in Order No. 3 under this regulation with the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C., and at the office of the appropriate disposal agency listed in Order No. 2 under this regulation.

(b) *Surplus real property.* Declarations to the Board and to the appropriate disposal agency of all surplus real property (whether or not section 23 real

property) shall be filed with the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C., on forms prescribed in Order No. 3 under this regulation. The Board will transmit the declaration to the appropriate disposal agency and will notify the owning agency of the transmittal.

§ 8301.16 *Withdrawals.* With the consent of the disposal agency, an owning agency may at any time withdraw property which it has declared surplus pursuant to this regulation. Such withdrawals shall be made on the forms prescribed by Order No. 3 under this regulation.

§ 8301.17 *Regulations by disposal agencies to be reported to the Surplus Property Board.* Each owning agency and each disposal agency shall file with the Surplus Property Board copies of all general and special regulations, orders and instructions which it may issue in furtherance of the performance of the provisions, or any of them, of this regulation.

§ 8301.18 *Authority of disposal agencies to dispose of surplus property.*—(a) *In general.* The disposal agencies designated in this regulation are hereby authorized and directed to dispose of property declared to them as surplus. Disposals shall be made in accordance with rules, regulations, and orders of the Board, with regulations and policy statements of the Surplus War Property Administration (until the same are rescinded and superseded by regulations of the Board) and with the objectives and provisions of the act.

(b) *Aircraft, aircraft parts, radio and electrical equipment.* The appropriate disposal agencies are hereby authorized, in accordance with section 19 (c) of the act, to dispose of aircraft and aircraft parts and radio and electrical equipment.

§ 8301.19 *Orders, amendment and repeal.* Orders may be issued under this regulation relating to matters dealt with herein. This regulation, and any order

issued under it, shall be subject to amendment or repeal by the Board by any regulation or order of the Board duly published in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

This regulation shall become effective May 1, 1945.

SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD,
By ALFRED E. HOWSE,
Administrator.

APRIL 2, 1945.

The designation of disposal agencies for cotton and woolen goods made in this regulation is hereby approved.

MARVIN JONES,
War Food Administrator.
April 3, 1945.

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PART 8301—DESIGNATION OF DISPOSAL AGENCIES AND PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING SURPLUS PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

ASSIGNMENT OF SURPLUS PROPERTY

Under its Regulation No. 1, the Surplus Property Board hereby assigns to the Government disposal agencies named below such items or types of surplus property located in the continental United States as are listed under the name of each agency. The items or types of surplus property listed below under the name of each disposal agency are included within the class of surplus property assigned to each agency for disposal in Regulation No. 1. The code numbers used herein are those of the Standard Commodity Classification (U. S. Government Printing Office) to Volume I of which reference must be made for a complete list of the items or types of surplus property assigned by means of the code number.

PART 1—CRUDE MATERIALS

R. F. C.	Treasury Department	War Food Administration	R. F. C.	Treasury Department	War Food Administration
03 Crude animal products inedible, except fibers. 05-5 Crude rubber and allied gums. 05-628 Lac. 05-7 Crude medicinal herbs, roots, barks, and other plant parts, except U. S. P., N. F., and similar grades. 05-93 Crude cork. 05-94 Loofa sponges.	01 Live animals, other than food animals.	01 Live animals, except nonfood animals. 02 Crude animal products, edible. 04 Crude vegetable products, edible. 05 Crude vegetable products, inedible, except fibers (except as indicated).	06 Fibers, vegetable and animal, unmanufactured (except domestically produced wool and mohair). 07 Coal, crude petroleum, and related crude hydrocarbons. 08 Metallic ores, tailings, concentrates and their unrefined metallic products. 09 Crude nonmetallic minerals, except coal and petroleum.		06-1 Cotton. 06-22 Flax (only domestic production). 06-23 Hemp (cannabis sativa). 06-5 Wool and related specialty hair (domestically produced wool and mohair only).

PART 2—BASIC MATERIAL AND PRODUCTS

11 Leather. 12 Boot and shoe cut stock and shoe findings. 13 Wood basic materials, except pulpwood (except as indicated). 14-1 Pulpwood. 14-2 Paperbase stocks except pulp. 14-3 Woodpulp.	13-92 Rattan, willow, and bamboo stock. 13-97 Handles. 14 Pulp, paper and paper board (except as indicated). 14-21 Waste paper (located in Washington, D. C.).	14-4 Other pulp. 14-6 Building paper. 14-8 Building board. 15-2 Jute basic textiles. 15-66 Curled hair (similar to 06-7). 15-71 Silk semi-manufactures. 15-72 Silk yarn. 15-81 Rayon, nylon, etc., semi-manufactures. 15-82 Rayon, nylon, etc., yarn.	15 Textile basic manufactures (except as indicated).
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PART 2—BASIC MATERIAL AND PRODUCTS—continued

R. F. O.	Treasury Department	War Food Administration	R. F. O.	Treasury Department	War Food Administration
15-912 Jute cordage, except sizes less than one-quarter inch cross-sectional diameter.			16-52 Industrial molasses.		
15-913 Soft fiber cordage except sizes less than one-quarter inch cross-sectional diameter.		16 Food and beverage basic materials (except as indicated).	17-6 Floral absolutes, concretes and mixtures of essential and floral oils.	17-5 Essential oils (packaged for veterinary or medicinal use only).	
15-914 Hard fiber cordage and twine (all).		17 Oils, fats, waxes, and derivatives, animal and vegetable (except as indicated).	17-7 Waxes, animal and vegetable.		
			18 Petroleum and coal products except raw materials for chemical industries.		

PART 3—END PRODUCTS

19 Chemicals.....		19-271 Rosins. 19-272 Turpentine. 19-274 Pine oil. 19-275 Pine pitch. 19-276 Pine tar.	31 General purpose industrial machinery and equipment (except as indicated) —Continued.	31-222 Pumps, portable, centrifugal, plunger diaphragm or sump, powered by gasoline, diesel or electric motors, ordinarily used for contractors' purposes or by contractors. 31-226 Hand pumps. 31-31 Crushers jaw, roll and crushing plants, portable type (except 31 3150—stamp mills and 31 3160—pick-type breakers). 31-36 Screening plants, portable type. Screens rotary, vibrator and gravity type. 31-493 Conveyors, construction material, portable type; and portable plants. 31-570 Derricks.....	
21 Iron, and iron and steel scrap (except as indicated).	21-632 Cast iron soil pipe. 21-6412 Soil pipe fittings.			31-582 Winches (except fixed shipboard or exclusive marine winches).	31-582 Fixed shipboard or exclusive marine winches.
22 Steel (except as indicated).	22-52 Barbed and twisted wire.			31-6 Industrial trucks, tractors, trallers stackers and accessories.	31-583 Anchor—windlasses.
23 Ferro and nonferrous additive alloys.				31-97 Lubrication equipment—to the extent the items are for use in connection with motor vehicles.	31-584 Capstans.
24 Nonferrous metals (except as indicated).	24-82 Gold and gold-base alloy basic shapes and forms.			32-412 Battery charging generators (except aircraft).	
25 Fabricated metal basic products (except as indicated).	25-42 Truck tanks. 25-51 Builders' basic hardware. 25-54 Motor vehicle hardware. 25-56 Casket hardware..... 25-57 Furniture hardware. 25-58 Trunk and luggage hardware. 25-59 Miscellaneous basic hardware. 25-61 Automotive vehicle bodies. 25-64 Combat vehicle bodies. 25-75 Insect screening. 25-76 Woven wire fencing. 25-77 Wire nails, tacks and staples. 25-78 Wire springs. 25-7901 Wire chain. 25-7903 Chain link fencing. 25-7906 Wire hoops. 25-91 Chain and attachments. 25-94 Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc. 25-98 Cut nails, tacks and spikes. 25-99 Miscellaneous fabricated products. 26-3 Glass basic products.	Maritime Commission 25-31 Power boilers marine. 25-53 Marine basic hardware (rigging hardware and chain attachments).	32 Electrical machinery and apparatus (except as indicated).	32-432 Starter motors except aircraft. 32-45 Motor ignition equipment (except aircraft). 32-51 Fuses. 32-53 Lamp sockets. 32-7 Lamps (except 32-73 aviation service lamps). 32-8 Electric appliances, household and commercial. 32-91 Dry cell batteries. 32-92 Storage batteries. 32-122 Peeling and paring machines. 32-124 Pitters, seeders and stemmers. 32-127 Juice extractors. 32-1313 Milk extractors. 32-1322 Butter cutters. 32-133 Ice cream manufacturing machinery and equipment. 32-193 Food products machinery of general purpose. 32-54 Tire repairing machinery and equipment. 32-733 Bakery ovens. 32-995 Automobile service station equipment.	Maritime Commission
26 Nonmetallic mineral basic products—chiefly structural (except as indicated).				33-127 Tractors.	
27 Nonmetallic mineral basic products—chiefly non-structural (except as indicated).	27-1 Glass basic products (except 3 items): 27-1431 Railroad signal lenses. 27-152 Radio tubes (glass only). 27-16 Insulators. 27-32 Asbestos and asbestos metallic packing and gaskets. 27-33 Asbestos woven or moulded friction material. 27-378 Asbestos paper pipe covering insulation. 27-381 Pipe covering insulation. 27-92 Pottery. 27-93 Pottery supplies. 27-94 Ceramic products. 29-1 Rubber fabricated materials (except item 29-12 reclaimed rubber). 29-2 Plastic fabricated materials to be used as components of end products (except items 29-22 plastic electrical fittings; 29-23 plastic construction and maintenance products, less 29-2306 door and window screening; and 29-24 plastic glass. 29-8 Imitation gem and ornamental stones. 29-91 Button blanks, moulds, and other parts. 29-92 Beads, bugles, and spangles. 29-95 Catgut and wormgut. 31-21142 Compressors, air, portable, skid or wheel mounted, two stage, powered by gasoline or diesel motors, capacities 50 to 500 cubic feet.		33 Special industry machinery.	33-124 Pitters, seeders and stemmers. 33-127 Juice extractors. 33-1313 Milk extractors. 33-1322 Butter cutters. 33-133 Ice cream manufacturing machinery and equipment. 33-193 Food products machinery of general purpose. 33-54 Tire repairing machinery and equipment. 33-733 Bakery ovens. 33-995 Automobile service station equipment.	
29 Miscellaneous basic materials (except as indicated).			34 Metal working machinery.	35 Agricultural machinery and implements. 36 Construction, mining, excavating and related machinery (except as indicated). 37 Tractors. 38 Office machines. 39-11 Home type laundry equipment. 39-20 Home sewing machines. 39-3 Dishwashing machinery. 39-43 Calculating and computing scales. 39-44 Coin operated scales. 39-45 Spring scales, household. 39-50 Cash registers. 39-60 Coin operated machines. 39-91 Lawnmowers. 41-1 Radio broadcast receivers.	
31 General purpose industrial machinery and equipment (except as indicated).			36-31 Oil well machinery.....	41 Communications equipment and electronic devices (except as indicated).	
			39 Miscellaneous machinery.	42 Aircraft (except as indicated).	
				42-8 Flight equipment for personnel.	
					43 Ships, small watercraft and marine propulsion machinery (except items 43-21 battleships, 43-22

PART 3—END PRODUCTS—continued

R. F. C.	Treasury Department	Maritime Commission	R. F. C.	Treasury Department	War Food Administration
44 Railroad transportation equipment.	45 Motor vehicles. 49 Miscellaneous transportation equipment. 51 Plumbing and heating equipment. 52 Air conditioning and refrigeration equipment (except as indicated).	cruisers, 43-23 aircraft carriers, 43-24 destroyers and 43-25 submarines).	59-55 Sprinkler system components. 59-77 Railroad signal controls. 59-78 Industrial process supervisory systems.	65 Drugs and medicines (except as indicated).	61 Food, manufactured. 62 Feed, manufactured. 63 Beverages and ice. 64 Tobacco manufactures. 65-481 Marine liver oil, derivatives, and preparations, except marine liver oil concentrates in solution, m. g. 66-68 Vitamins, vitamin-active compounds and preparations containing one and more than one vitamin, m. g.
52-92 Industrial refrigeration units. 52-12 Central station air conditioning systems. 53-32 Railroad signal fixtures 53-7 Airport, airway and seadrome lighting. 53-81 Train lighting fixtures. 53-86 Aircraft lighting fixtures.	53 Lighting fixtures (except as indicated).	53-2 Marine fixtures.		66 Toiletries, cosmetics, soap, and household chemical preparations. 67 Apparel, except footwear. 68 Footwear. 69 Fabricated textile products except apparel. 71 End products of leather except apparel, footwear and luggage. 72 Converted paper products and pulp goods. 73 Products of printing and publishing industries (except as indicated). 74 Rubber end products. 75 End products of metal industries (except as indicated). 76 Finished wood products, except furniture and rail work (except as indicated). 77 End products of glass, clay and stone. 79 Miscellaneous end products of manufacturing industries (except as indicated). 81 Small arms and components. 83 Small arms ammunition and specifically adapted components.	
55-12 Aerial cameras. 55-13 Gun cameras. 55-15 Camera parts (aerial only). 55-313 Aerial camera lenses. 55-8 Motion pictures (instructional aids for equipment assigned to R.F.C.). 57 Indicating, recording and controlling instruments and accessories except watches and clocks (except as indicated). 59-15 Hazard measuring devices. 59-18 Machine guards. 59-20 Water purification equipment except 59-241, hose water softeners.	54 Furniture and fixtures. 55 Photographic goods and processed motion pictures (except as indicated). 56 Optical instruments and apparatus. 57-112 Glass stemmed laboratory thermometers. 57-113 Glass stemmed clinical thermometers. 57-114 Household and commercial thermometers. 57-119 Thermometers not elsewhere classified. 57-14 Heating and ventilating controls and accessories. 57-33 Barometers (domestic household types). 57-34 Refrigeration controls. 57-56 Taximeters and parking meters. 57-65 Compasses and accessories (except fixed shipboard types and aircraft types). 58 Professional and scientific instruments and apparatus. 59 Miscellaneous equipment (except as indicated).	57-65 Compasses and accessories (fixed shipboard types). 57-66 Azimuths, sextants and octants. 57-691 Taff Rail Logs.	73-13 Books and pamphlets (instructional aids for equipment assigned to R.F.C.). 75-7481 High pressure cylinders. 76-51 Lasts for boots and shoes. 76-52 Last sole patterns.		
59-3 Sewage disposal equipment.		59-16 Water safety equipment.			

82 Artillery, Naval Guns, Mortars and Components
84 Artillery, Naval, and Mortar Ammunition and Components
85 Aerial Bombs and specifically adapted Components
86 Miscellaneous Ammunition and Related Products

87 Common Components of Ammunition
88 Fire Control Equipment
Such components and accessories within these groups as have civilian utility are assigned to the appropriate disposal agencies handling the classes of property within which such components and accessories fall.

This order shall become effective May 1, 1945.

SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD,
By ALFRED E. HOWSE,
Administrator.

APRIL 2, 1945.

The designation of disposal agencies for cotton and woolen goods made in this order is hereby approved.

MARVIN JONES,
War Food Administrator.
April 3, 1945.

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PART 8301—DESIGNATION OF DISPOSAL AGENCIES AND PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING SURPLUS PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

LOCATION OF DISPOSAL AGENCY OFFICES

SECTION 1. Disposal agencies designated in Regulation No. 1 of the Sur-

plus Property Board shall notify the Board whenever a change is made in the location of any office at which declarations of surplus property are directed to be filed. All such changes will be carried into this order by amendment.

SEC. 2. Changes in the procedures for filing declarations of surplus prescribed in this order and in SPB Regulation No. 1 may be made on application to the Board.

SEC. 3. Declarations of surplus personal property located in continental United States shall be filed at the following offices of the appropriate disposal agencies:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Area and Address

Region I: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont. U. S. Treasury Department, Park Square Bldg., Boston 16, Mass.

Region II: New Jersey, New York. U. S. Treasury Department, Office of Surplus Property, 350 5th Avenue, 62d Floor, New York 1, N. Y.

Region III: District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia. U. S. Treasury Department, 1126 21st St., NW., Washington 25, D. C.

Region IV: Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, West Virginia. U. S. Treasury Department, Commercial Arts Bldg., Cincinnati 2, Ohio.

Region V: Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin. U. S. Treasury Department, Room 300, 209 South LaSalle St., Chicago 4, Ill.

Region VI: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee. U. S. Treasury Department, Belle Isle Bldg., 20 Houston St., Atlanta 3, Ga.

Region VII: Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas. U. S. Treasury Department, 609 Neil P. Anderson Bldg., Fort Worth 2, Texas.

Region VIII: Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska. U. S. Treasury Department, 2605 Walnut St., Kansas City 2, Mo.

Region IX: Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming. U. S. Treasury Department, 7th Floor, Exchange Bldg., 1030 15th St., Denver 2, Colo.

Region X: Arizona, California, Nevada. U. S. Treasury Department, 30 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco 2, Calif.

Region XI: Idaho, Oregon, Montana, Washington. U. S. Treasury Department, 2005 5th Avenue, Seattle 1, Wash.

RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION
(Except Aircraft and Aircraft Parts)

Area and Address

Atlanta Region: Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Florida. Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Healey Building, Atlanta 3, Ga.

Boston Region: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, (except Fairfield County). 10 Post Office Square, Boston, Mass.

Charlotte Region: North Carolina, South Carolina. Wilson Building, 109 West 3d St., Charlotte 1, N. C.

Chicago Region: Illinois, Northern Part, consisting of the following counties: Boone, Bureau, Carroll, Cass, Champaign, Christian, Clark, Coles, Cook, Cumberland, De Kalb, De Witt, Douglas, Du Page, Edgar, Ford, Fulton, Grundy, Hancock, Henderson, Henry, Iroquois, Jo Daviess, Kane, Kankakee, Kendall, Knox, Lake, La Salle, Lee, Livingston, Logan, McDonough, McHenry, McLean, Macon, Marshall, Mason, Menard, Mercer, Moultrie, Ogle, Peoria, Piatt, Putnam, Rock Island, Sangamon, Schuyler, Shelby, Stark, Stephenson, Tazewell, Vermilion, Warren, Whiteside, Will, Winnebago and Woodford. 208 South La Salle Street, Chicago 4, Ill.

Chicago Region: Indiana, Northern part, consisting of the following counties: Adams, Allen, Bartholomew, Benton, Blackford, Boone, Brown, Carroll, Cass, Clay, Clinton, Dearborn, Decatur, De Kalb, Delaware, Elkhart, Fayette, Fountain, Franklin, Fulton, Grant, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Henry, Howard, Huntington, Jasper, Jay, Jennings, Johnson, Kosciusko, Lagrange, Lake, La Porte, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Miami, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Newton, Noble, Ohio, Owen, Parke, Porter, Pulaski, Putnam, Randolph, Ripley, Rush, St. Joseph, Shelby, Starke, Steuben, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Union, Vermillion, Vigo, Wabash, Warren, Wayne, Wells, White and Whitley. 208 South LaSalle Street, Chicago 4, Ill.

Chicago Region: Wisconsin, Southern part, consisting of the following counties: Adams, Brown, Calumet, Clark, Columbia, Crawford, Dane, Dodge, Door, Fond du Lac, Grant, Green, Green Lake, Iowa, Jackson, Jefferson, Juneau, Kenosha, Kewaunee, Lafayette, Langlade, Manitowoc, Marathon, Marinette, Marquette, Milwaukee, Monroe, Oconto, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Portage, Racine, Richland, Rock, Sauk, Shawano, Sheboygan, Vernon, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, Waupaca, Waushara, Winnebago and Wood. 208 South LaSalle Street, Chicago 4, Ill.

Chicago Region: Iowa—Entire State. 208 South La Salle Street, Chicago 4, Ill.

Cleveland Region: Ohio, Kentucky—Eastern section—consisting of the following counties: Bath, Bell, Boone, Bourbon, Boyd, Bracken, Breathitt, Campbell, Carter, Clark, Clay, Elliott, Estill, Fayette, Fleming, Floyd, Garrard, Grant, Greenup, Harlan, Harrison, Jackson, Jessamine, Johnson, Kenton, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lewis, Lincoln, McCreary, Madison, Magoffin, Martin, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Owsley, Pendleton, Perry, Pike, Powell, Pulaski, Robertson, Rockcastle, Rowan, Scott, Whitley, Wolfe, and Woodford. Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Cleveland 1, Ohio.

Cleveland Region: Pennsylvania, Western Part, consisting of the following counties: Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Clarion, Crawford, Erie, Fayette, Forest, Greene, Indiana, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mercer, Somerset, Venango, Warren, Washington, and Westmoreland. Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Cleveland 1, Ohio.

Cleveland Region: West Virginia, Northwestern Part, consisting of the following counties: Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Ohio, Tyler, and Wetzel. Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Cleveland 1, Ohio.

Dallas Region: Texas, Northern and Western Parts, consisting of the following counties: Andrews, Archer, Armstrong, Bailey,

Baylor, Bell, Borden, Bosque, Bowie, Briscoe, Brown, Burnet, Callahan, Camp, Carson, Cass, Castro, Childress, Clay, Cochran, Coke, Coleman, Collin, Collingsworth, Comanche, Concho, Cooke, Coryell, Cottle, Crane, Crockett, Crosby, Culbertson, Dallam, Dallas, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Delta, Denton, Dickens, Donley, Eastland, Ector, Ellis, El Paso, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Franklin, Freestone, Gaines, Garza, Glascock, Gray, Grayson, Gregg, Hale, Hall, Hamilton, Hansford, Hardeman, Harrison, Hartley, Haskell, Hemphill, Henderson, Hill, Hockley, Hood, Hopkins, Howard, Hudspeth, Hunt, Hutchinson, Irion, Jack, Jeff Davis, Johnson, Jones, Kauffman, Kent, King, Knox, Lamar, Lamb, Lampasas, Leon, Limestone, Lipscomb, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, McCulloch, McLennan, Marion, Martin, Menard, Midland, Milam, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Moore, Morris, Motley, Navarro, Nolan, Ochiltree, Oldham, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Parmer, Pecos, Potter, Rains, Randall, Reagan, Red River, Reeves, Roberts, Robertson, Rockwall, Runnels, Rusk, San Saba, Schleicher, Scurry, Shackelford, Sherman, Smith, Somervell, Stephens, Sterling, Stonewall, Sutton, Swisher, Tarrant, Taylor, Terry, Throckmorton, Titus, Tom Green, Upshur, Upton, VanZandt, Ward, Wheeler, Wichita, Winkler, Wilbarger, Williamson, Wise, Wood, Yoakum, and Young. Cotton Exchange Bldg., Dallas 1, Tex.

Dallas Region: Oklahoma, Southeastern Part, consisting of the following counties: Atoka, Bryan, Choctaw, Coal, Johnston, McCurtain, Marshall, Pushmataha. Cotton Exchange Bldg., Dallas 1, Tex.

Dallas Region: New Mexico, Southern Part, consisting of the following counties: Catron, Chaves, Curry, De Baca, Dona Ana, Eddy, Grant, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Lea, Lincoln, Luna, Otero, Quay, Roosevelt, Socorro, Sierra, and Torrance. Cotton Exchange Bldg., Dallas 1, Tex.

Dallas Region: Arizona, Southeastern Part, consisting of the following counties: Cochise, Graham, Greenlee, Pima, and Santa Cruz. Cotton Exchange Bldg., Dallas, Tex.

Denver Region: Colorado, New Mexico, Northern part, consisting of the following counties: Bernalillo, Colfax, Harding, McKinley, Mora, Rio Arriba, Sandoval, San Juan, San Miguel, Santa Fe, Taos, Union, and Valencia. Boston Building, Denver 2, Colo.

Detroit Region: Michigan—the following counties of Michigan (excluding upper Peninsula): Alcona, Allegan, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Barry, Bay, Benzie, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Clare, Clinton, Crawford, Eaton, Emmet, Genesee, Gladwin, Grand Traverse, Cratiot, Hillsdale, Huron, Ingham, Ionia, Iosco, Isabella, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Kalkaska, Kent, Lake, Leapeer, Leelanau, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Manistee, Mason, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Monroe, Montcalm, Montmorency, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oakland, Oceana, Ogemaw, Osceola, Oscoda, Otsego, Ottawa, Presque Isle, Roscommon, Saginaw, St. Clair, St. Joseph, Sanilac, Shiawassee, Tuscola, Van Buren, Washtenaw, Wayne, and Wexford. 607 Shelby Street, Detroit 26, Mich.

Houston Region: Texas, Southeastern part, consisting of the following counties: Anderson, Angelina, Austin, Bastrop, Brazoria, Brazos, Burleson, Calhoun, Chambers, Cherokee, Colorado, Fayette, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Hardin, Harris, Houston, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Lavaca, Lee, Liberty, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Polk, Refugio, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, Tyler, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Washington, and Wharton. Rusk Bldg., 723 Main Street, Houston 2, Tex.

Kansas City Region: Kansas, Missouri—Western part—consisting of the following counties: Andrew, Atchison, Barton, Bates, Buchanan, Cass, Clay, Clinton, De Kalb, Gentry, Holt, Jackson, Jasper, McDonald, Newton, Nodaway, Platte, Vernon, and Worth. Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Kansas City 6, Mo.

Kansas City Region: Oklahoma—except 8 counties in Southeastern part—consisting of the following counties: Adair, Alfalfa, Beaver, Beckham, Blaine, Caddo, Canadian, Carter, Cherokee, Cimarron, Cleveland, Comanche, Cotton, Craig, Creek, Custer, Delaware, Dewey, Ellis, Garfield, Garvin, Grady, Grant, Greer, Harmon, Harper, Haskell, Hughes, Jackson, Jefferson, Kay, Kingfisher, Kiowa, Latimer, Le Flore, Lincoln, Logan, Love, McClain, McIntosh, Major, Mayes, Murray, Muskogee, Noble, Nowata, Okfuskee, Oklahoma, Okmulgee, Osage, Ottawa, Pawnee, Payne, Pittsburg, Pontotoc, Pottawatomie, Roger Mills, Rogers, Seminole, Sequoyah, Stephens, Texas, Tillman, Tulsa, Wagoner, Washington, Washita, Woods, and Woodward. Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Kansas City 6, Mo.

Los Angeles Region: California, Southern part, consisting of the following counties: Imperial, Inyo, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura. Pacific Mutual Bldg., Los Angeles 14, Calif.

Los Angeles Region: Arizona—the following counties of Arizona (excluding the Southeastern part): Apache, Coconino, Gila, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pinal, Yavapai, and Yuma. Pacific Mutual Bldg., Los Angeles 14, Calif.

Minneapolis Region: Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota; Michigan—Upper Peninsula—consisting of the following counties: Alger, Baraga, Chippewa, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette, Menominee, Ontonagon, and Schoolcraft. McKnight Building, Minneapolis 1, Minn.

Minneapolis Region: Wisconsin—Northern Part—consisting of the following counties: Ashland, Barron, Bayfield, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Douglas, Dunn, Eau Claire, Florence, Forest, Iron, La Crosse, Lincoln, Oneida, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Price, Rusk, St. Croix, Sawyer, Taylor, Trempealeau, Vilas, and Washburn. McKnight Bldg., Minneapolis 1, Minn.

New Orleans Region: Louisiana and Mississippi. Richards Bldg., 837 Gravier St., New Orleans, La.

New York Region: New York, Connecticut (Fairfield County only); New Jersey (Northern Part), consisting of the following counties: Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren. 70 Pine St., New York 5, N. Y.

Omaha Region: Nebraska and Wyoming. Woodmen of the World Bldg., Omaha 2, Nebr.

Philadelphia Region: Delaware; Pennsylvania—the following counties of Pennsylvania (excluding the Western part): Adams, Bedford, Berks, Blair, Bradford, Bucks, Cambria, Cameron, Carbon, Centre, Chester, Clearfield, Clinton, Columbia, Cumberland, Dauphin, Delaware, Elk, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Lackawanna, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lehigh, Luzerne, Lycoming, McKean, Mifflin, Monroe, Montgomery, Montour, Northampton, Northumberland, Perry, Philadelphia, Pike, Potter, Schuylkill, Snyder, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Tioga, Union, Wyoming, Wayne, and York. 1528 Walnut St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.

Philadelphia Region: New Jersey; Southern Part, consisting of the following counties: Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean, and Salem. 1528 Walnut St., Philadelphia 2, Pa.

Portland Region: Oregon—entire State (except the counties of Klamath and Lake in Central Southern Part); Washington, Southwestern Part, consisting of the following counties: Clark, Cowlitz, Klickitat, Skamania, and Wahkiakum. Pittock Block, Portland 5, Oreg.

Portland Region: Montana; Washington, Eastern Part, consisting of the following counties: Adams, Asotin, Benton, Chelan, Columbia, Douglas, Ferry, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Lincoln, Okanogan, Pend Oreille, Spokane, Stevens, Walla Walla, Whitman,

and Yakima. Pittock Block, Portland 5, Oreg.

Portland Region: Idaho, Northern Part, consisting of the following counties: Bena-wah, Bonner, Boundary, Clearwater, Idaho, Kootenai, Latah, Lewis, Nez Perce, and Shoshone. Pittock Block, Portland 5, Oreg.

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Richmond Region: Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia; West Virginia, Southern Part, consisting of the following counties: Barbour, Berkeley, Boone, Braxton, Cabell, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Fayette, Gilmer, Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hardy, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Kanawha, Lewis, Lincoln, Logan, McDowell, Marion, Mason, Mercer, Mineral, Mingo, Monongalia, Monroe, Morgan, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pleasants, Pocahontas, Preston, Putnam, Raleigh, Randolph, Ritchie, Roane, Summers, Taylor, Tucker, Upshur, Wayne, Webster, Wirt, Wood, and Wyoming. Richmond Trust Bldg., 7th and Main Sts., Richmond 19, Va.

St. Louis Region: Missouri—Eastern Part—consisting of the following counties: Adair, Audrain, Barry, Benton, Bollinger, Boone, Butler, Caldwell, Callaway, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Carroll, Carter, Cedar, Chariton, Christian, Clark, Cole, Cooper, Crawford, Dade, Dallas, Daviess, Dent, Douglas, Dunklin, Franklin, Gasconade, Greene, Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Howard, Howell, Iron, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Laclede, Lafayette, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Linn, Livingston, Macon, Madison, Maries, Marion, Mercer, Miller, Mississippi, Moniteau, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, New Madrid, Oregon, Osage, Ozark, Penicott, Perry, Pettis, Phelps, Pike, Polk, Pulaski, Putnam, Ralls, Randolph, Ray, Reynolds, Ripley, St. Charles, St. Clair, St. Francois, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Saline, Schuyler, Scotland, Scott, Shannon, Shelby, Stoddard, Stone, Sullivan, Taney, Texas, Warren, Washington, Wayne, Webster, and Wright. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

St. Louis Region: Illinois, Southern Part, consisting of the following counties: Adams, Alexander, Bond, Brown, Calhoun, Clay, Clinton, Crawford, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Franklin, Gallatin, Greene, Hamilton, Hardin, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jersey, Johnson, Lawrence, Nacoplin, Madison, Marion, Massac, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Perry, Pike, Pope, Pulaski, Randolph, Richland, St. Clair, Saline, Scott, Union, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, and Williamson. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

St. Louis Region: Indiana, Southwestern Part, consisting of the following counties: Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Greene, Knox, Martin, Pike, Posey, Spencer, Sullivan, Vanderburg, and Warrick. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

St. Louis Region: Indiana, Southeastern Part, consisting of the following counties: Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Orange, Perry, Scott, Switzerland, and Washington. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

St. Louis Region: Arkansas. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

St. Louis Region: Kentucky, Western Part, consisting of the following counties: Adair, Allen, Anderson, Ballard, Barren, Boyle, Breckinridge, Bullitt, Butler, Caldwell, Callo-way, Carlisle, Carroll, Casey, Christian, Clin-ton, Crittenden, Cumberland, Daviess, Edmonson, Franklin, Fulton, Gallatin, Graves, Grayson, Green, Hancock, Hardin, Hart, Hen-derson, Henry, Hickman, Hopkins, Jefferson, Larue, Livingston, Logan, Lyon, McCracken, McLean, Marion, Marshall, Meade, Mercer, Metcalfe, Monroe, Muhlenberg, Nelson, Ohio, Oldham, Owen, Russell, Shelby, Simpson, Spencer, Taylor, Todd, Trigg, Trimble, Union, Warren, Washington, Wayne, and Webster. Victoria Bldg., 407 North 8th St., St. Louis 2, Mo.

Salt Lake City Region: Utah; Idaho, South-ern Part, consisting of the following coun-ties: Ada, Adams, Bannock, Bear Lake, Bing-ham, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Butte, Camas, Canyon, Caribou, Cassia, Clark, Custer, El-more, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Jef-ferson, Jerome, Lemhi, Lincoln, Madison, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Payette, Power, Teton, Twin Falls, Valley, and Washington. Dooly Bldg., Salt Lake City 1, Utah.

Salt Lake City Region: Nevada, Eastern Part, consisting of the following counties: Clark, Elko, Lincoln, and White Pine. Dooly Bldg., Salt Lake City 1, Utah.

San Antonio Region: Texas, Southern Part, consisting of the following counties: Aran-sas, Atascosa, Bandera, Bee, Bexar, Blanco, Brewster, Brooks, Caldwell, Cameron, Comal, DeWitt, Dimmit, Duval, Edwards, Frio, Gilles-pie, Goliad, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hays, Hidal-go, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Karnes, Kendall, Kenedy, Kerr, Kimble, Finney, Kleberg, La Salle, Live Oak, Llano, McMullen, Mason, Maverick, Medina, Nueces, Presidio, Real, San Patricio, Starr, Terrell, Travis, Uvalde, Van Verde, Webb, Willacy, Wilson, Zapata, and Zavalla. Alamo National Bldg., San Antonio 5, Tex.

San Francisco Region: California, North-ern Part, consisting of the following counties: Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Contra Costa, Del Norte, Eldorado, Fresno, Glenn, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Lassen, Madera, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Modoc, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Ne-vada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Ben-ito, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, Yolo, and Yuba. 200 Bush St., San Francisco 4, Calif.

San Francisco Region: Nevada—the West-ern part—consisting of the following coun-ties: Churchill, Douglas, Esmeraldo, Eureka, Humboldt, Lander, Lyon, Mineral, Nye, Orms-by, Pershing, Storey, and Washoe. 200 Bush St., San Francisco 4, Calif.

San Francisco Region: Oregon, Southern part, consisting of the following counties: Klamath, and Lake. 200 Bush St., San Fran-cisco 4, Calif.

Seattle Region: Washington, Western Part, consisting of the following counties: Clallam, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Kittitas, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Thurston, and Whatcom. Dexter-Horton Bldg., Seattle 1, Wash.

Reconstruction Finance Corporation

Aircraft. Reconstruction Finance Corpo-ration, Washington 25, D. C.

Aircraft Parts. Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., Cleveland 1, Ohio.

Maritime Commission

United States Maritime Commission, Wash-ington 25, D. C.

War Food Administration

Commodity Credit Corporation, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C.

National Housing Agency

National Housing Agency, Washington 25, D. C.

Sec. 4. Declarations of all surplus real property located in the continental United States, its territories and pos-sessions shall be filed at: Surplus Prop-erty Board, Washington 25, D. C.

Sec. 5. Declarations of surplus per-sonal property located in the territories and possessions of the United States shall be filed at the following offices of the ap-propriate disposal agencies:

Reconstruction Finance Corporation

Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Washington 25, D. C.

Maritime Commission

United States Maritime Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

War Food Administration

Commodity Credit Corporation, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C.

Department of the Interior

Department of the Interior, Washington—25, D. C.

This order shall become effective May 1, 1945.

SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD,
By: ALFRED E. HOWES,
Administrator.

APRIL 2, 1945.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5557; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945; 10:38 a. m.]

[SPB Reg. 1, Order 3]

PART 8301—DESIGNATION OF DISPOSAL AGENCIES AND PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING SURPLUS PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, ITS TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

FORMS FOR DECLARATION OF SURPLUS

SECTION 1. Owning agencies shall de-clare surplus personal property located within the continental United States, its territories and possessions, to the approp-riate disposal agency, designated under Regulation No. 1, on Form SPB-1, *Declaration of Surplus Personal Property to Disposal Agency*, as attached hereto, in accordance with the instructions accom-panying such form. Where the owning agency also acts as the disposal agency, the same procedure shall be followed. Corrections or withdrawals of prior de-clarations of surplus personal property shall be submitted to the appropriate dis-posal agency on Form SPB-1.1, *Adjustment of Prior Declaration of Surplus Personal Property*, as attached hereto, in accordance with the instructions ac-companying such form.

SEC. 2. Each owning agency shall de-clare such personal property surplus to the Surplus Property Board on Form SPB-2, *Declarations of Surplus Personal Property to Surplus Property Board*, as attached hereto, in accordance with the instructions accompanying such form.

SEC. 3. Owning agencies shall declare surplus real property located within the continental United States, its territories and possessions, to the Surplus Property Board on Form SPB-5, *Declaration of Surplus Real Property to the Surplus Property Board*, as attached hereto, in accordance with the instructions accom-panying such form.

SEC. 4. Forms SPB-1, SPB-1.1, SPB-2 and SPB-5 may be reproduced by the owning agencies, on sheets 8" x 10 1/2", provided that the formats are identical with those on file with the Division of the Federal Register, sample copies of which may be obtained from the Board. Forms

SPB-1 and SPB-1.1 should allow for a 1" margin on the left. Form SPB-1.1 should be reproduced on yellow paper so as to distinguish it readily from Form SPB-1.

SEC. 5. Existing stocks of Forms SWPA-1, SWPA-1 (a) and SWPA-5 prescribed by the Surplus War Property Administration may be used for thirty (30) days after the effective date of this order.

This order shall become effective May 1, 1945.

SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD,
By ALFRED E. HOWE,
Administrator.

APRIL 2, 1945.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

(To be printed on reverse side of Forms SPB-1 and SPB-1.1)

Forms SPB-1 and SPB-1.1 will be used by all owning agencies for reporting surplus personal property, located in the continental United States, its territories and possessions, to the appropriate disposal agency, as designated by the Surplus Property Board in Regulation No. 1. Detail lists of types of personal property included in the assignments to disposal agencies are contained in Order No. 1, under the above regulation. Form SPB-1 and SPB-1.1 will be filed in triplicate by the owning agency at the disposal agency office specified in the above regulation. The addresses of the disposal agency offices, and the areas served by each, are listed in Order No. 2, under the above regulation.

Form SPB-1 will be used by the owning agency as the original declaration of surplus personal property, whereas Form SPB-1.1 will be used for reporting adjustments, including withdrawals, of prior declarations of surplus personal property. (Form SPB-2 will be used by the Washington office of the owning agencies in reporting declarations to the Surplus Property Board.)

Form SPB-1 may carry the listing of personal property declared surplus, or it may be used as a cover transmittal sheet for either mechanical accounting lists or contract termination inventory schedules. If a machine tabulated form is used for listing the items of property, the columnar arrangement shall conform with Form SPB-1, and the forms shall be 11" x 14 1/2" in size. If contract termination inventory schedules are submitted as the listing of items, the sheets shall meet all the columnar requirements of Form SPB-1, except that column (c) for Standard Commodity Classification need not be provided nor column (d) for condition when using OCS-2c (Work in Process).

These forms may be reproduced by the owning agency provided that the size and format are identical with the format prescribed by the Board, or meet the requirements specified above with respect to machine tabulated listings and inventory schedules. These forms may be reproduced by the owning agency in fan fold and carry the name of the owning agency imprinted on the form. The complete instructions will be printed on the back of the forms.

The items of property listed on any one declaration (SPB-1) shall be confined to property at a single location, to be reported to one disposal agency and classified in a single major group (2 digits) of the Standard Commodity Classification (Government Printing Office). Where an item of property consists of an assembly of component parts in a unit, the unit should be reported to the appropriate disposal agency handling that unit, rather than disassembling and reporting component parts to the disposal agencies handling those parts.

If any legal restrictions exist (including patent restrictions) as to the power of owning agencies to dispose of property reported to a disposal agency as surplus, the report shall include a statement clearly indicating such restrictions.

Continuation Sheets

If additional sheets are necessary for the listing of surplus items, continuation sheets in the form prescribed by the Board will be used.

Acknowledgment of Receipt

The receipt of each Form SPB-1 and SPB-1.1 by the disposal agency will be acknowledged to the reporting office; e. g., by a post card notice stating the reporting agency number, date of report, and the disposal agency's number. The post card notice will constitute approval of requests for permission to withdraw property submitted on Form SPB-1.1, unless the notice specifically states otherwise.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FORM SPB-1

Block:

1. State name and complete address of the office of the disposal agency (given in Order No. 2, SPB Reg. No. 1) to which the surplus property is being reported.
2. State the name and complete address of the office transmitting the declaration to the disposal agency. Show department, bureau, office or other similar subdivision involved. The disposal agency will send one copy of the shipping instructions to the custodian and one copy to the reporting agency shown on the declaration.
3. State the name and complete address of custodian of the property being declared surplus.
4. State the warehouse number and complete address of the site at which the property is located.
5. If the net proceeds from the sale or transfer of such surplus property are reimbursable, pursuant to Section 30 (b) of the Surplus Property Act of 1944, give the symbol and title of the appropriation to be credited, or the name and address of the Government corporation to receive the proceeds; for example—"14 x 6000 Reclamation Fund, Special Fund," or "Defense Plant Corporation, Washington 25, D. C." Note: A single report on SPB-1 should cover surplus items for which the net proceeds are reimbursable or non-reimbursable—but never both classes of items.
6. On left side of block type in name and title of authorized reporting official, who will enter his signature at right (original only).
7. Enter the code number of the single major group (two digits) of the Standard Commodity Classification in which the items listed on the report are classified.
8. Enter date on which the form is signed by the authorized reporting official.
9. Enter the serial number assigned by the reporting agency to identify each declaration.
10. Enter the sum of all amounts in column (h), Total Cost, of all pages of the declaration and supporting lists.

Column:

(a) Enter consecutive numbers starting with "1" on each page for each property item listed, leaving a blank line space across all columns between successive property items for use of the disposal agency. The numbering need not be consecutive for termination inventory schedules which are transmitted by Form SPB-1; the first item on each inventory sheet will be numbered "1".

(b) The reporting agency shall describe the property in sufficient detail to furnish the disposal agency with an adequate basis for disposal. The minimum standards of description prescribed by the Handbook of Standards for Describing Surplus Property

shall be used as a guide for all such descriptions. In accordance with the instructions in the Handbook, each item should be described in commercial terms in sufficient detail to permit transfer or sale by the disposal agency without calling on the owning agency for additional description. Stock numbers and prefixes, manufacturer's part number, and standard catalogue reference numbers should be supplied. The condition of the most important components of an item should be noted. Specify the type of container or package and the quantities in each. Lengthy descriptions should be written across columns (b)-(h) inclusive but entries in all columns must be clearly identifiable with the particular item number.

(c) If it is practicable for the reporting agency to do so, enter the detailed classification numbers for each item according to the Standard Commodity Classification (Government Printing Office). Otherwise, the detailed code numbers will be entered by the disposal agencies.

(d) Indicate condition of property by the following combination letter-number code:

Means	Means
N—New	1. Excellent.
E—Used—reconditioned	2. Good.
	3. Fair.
O—Used—usable without repairs	4. Poor.
R—Used—repairs required.	
X—Items of no further value for use as originally intended but of possible value other than as scrap.	

Do not use any code when declaring scrap. In stating the condition of consumer goods (excluding food), use only the letter code. For capital and producer goods, a letter-number combination must be used, except in the case of code X. For example: N4 means new but in poor condition.

Where the condition code does not provide an accurate description of the property's condition, leave this column blank and in appropriate language describe the condition of the property in column (b).

(e) Indicate unit of measure for the container, package or other applicable customary sales unit, such as each, pounds, tons, dozen, gross, thousand, etc. (See Handbook of Standards for Describing Surplus Property). Distinguish between long, short and metric tons. Standard, clearly understandable abbreviations may be used.

(f) Specify the quantities of each item reported surplus in terms of the "Unit" used in "e".

(g) Insert the recorded procurement cost or, in its absence, the estimated original cost (in dollars or cents) excluding transportation or handling charges incurred after original purchase. Estimated unit costs will be indicated by the prefix (E). For machine tools, other metalworking machinery, and production equipment enter unit costs f. o. b. manufacturer or vendor to owning agencies; designate with the prefix "U" if the item was purchased as used instead of new equipment.

(h) Compute total cost, that is, "No. of Units" multiplied by "Unit Cost" equals "Total Cost."

Contractor Inventory. If the property being declared surplus is termination inventory, state so by means of a stamp or otherwise in Block 7 provided for the standard commodity classification. All declarations of surplus termination inventory may be filed with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation at the regional office in which the property is located.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FORM SPB-1.1

Form SPB-1.1 will be used by the owning agency in reporting any adjustments in prior declarations, including requests for permission to withdraw property, or otherwise modifying the information reported previously on Form SPB-1.

NOTE: Forms printed in the FEDERAL REGISTER are for information only, and do not follow the exact format prescribed by the issuing agency.

Form SPB-1.1 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (3-27-45) SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD ADJUSTMENT OF PRIOR DECLARATION OF SURPLUS PERSONAL PROPERTY (In the Continental U. S., its Territories and Possessions)		Budget Bureau No. 16-R012 Approval expires May 1, 1946	
7. Standard commodity classification group code		Page of pages	
9. Reporting agency No.		8. Date of report	
11. Declaration to be adjusted		10. Total cost	
Date		Reporting agency No.	
DO NOT FILL IN			
Disposal agency No.			
Department and bureau			
State			
District			
City			
Site			
Transaction code			
3. Custodian: Name and address		6. Authorized by	
4. Location of property		Name and title of authorized reporting official (please type)	
5. Proceeds—If proceeds are "reimbursable," give symbol and title of appropriation or Government corporation		By Signature of authorized official	
Item No.	Description	Standard commodity classification (e)	Condition (d)
(a)	(b)	(e)	(d)
		Unit (e)	Unit cost (g)
		Num-ber of units (f)	Total cost (h)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF FORM SPB-2

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Washington office of each owning agency, declaring personal property surplus on Form SPB-1 in the United States, its territories and possessions, will submit completed Form SPB-2 to the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C. not later than the 20th of the first month following the current reporting month.

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS

A. SPB-1 Declarations With Total Cost of \$25,000 or More. The owning agency will classify according to disposal agency all Forms SPB-1, filed during the current reporting month, which have a total cost, ap-

pearing in Block 10, amounting to \$25,000 or more. In column (b) insert the number of such declarations filed during the current reporting month with the disposal agency indicated in column (a). In column (c) enter the total cost of such declarations, obtained by aggregating the "total cost," appearing in Block 10 of each Form SPB-1.

B. SPB-1 Declarations With Total Cost Under \$25,000. In column (c) enter the total cost of all Forms SPB-1 filed with the disposal agencies during the current reporting month which have a total cost, appearing in Block 10 amounting to less than \$25,000.

C. All SPB-1 Declarations. In column (e) enter the total cost of all declarations filed on Form SPB-1 during the current reporting month.

of the debits and credits separately in Block 10, Total Cost, preceded by (DR) or (CR).

If a withdrawal covers all the items included in a previous declaration the phrase "All items to be withdrawn" may be inserted in column (b) instead of listing the items. All the information in the blocks must be provided.

The disposal agency will use Form SPB-1.1 in notifying the owning agency of any adjustments that appear necessary after verification of the declaration and inspection of the property. Two copies of the form used for this purpose will be sent to the reporting office of the owning agency. A brief explanation of the adjustment will be included on the form.

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Form SPB-1.1 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (3-27-45) SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD DECLARATION OF SURPLUS PERSONAL PROPERTY TO DISPOSAL AGENCY (In the Continental U. S., its Territories and Possessions)		Budget Bureau No. 16-R001.2 Approval expires May 1, 1946	
7. Standard commodity classification group code		Page of Pages	
9. Reporting agency No.		8. Date of report	
10. Total cost this report			
DO NOT FILL IN			
Disposal agency No.			
Department and bureau			
State			
District			
City			
Site			
Transaction code			
3. Custodian: Name and address		6. Authorized by	
4. Location of property		Name and title of authorized reporting official (please type)	
5. Proceeds—If proceeds are "reimbursable," give symbol and title of appropriation or Government corporation		By Signature of authorized official	
Item No.	Description	Standard commodity classification (e)	Condition (d)
(a)	(b)	(e)	(d)
		Unit (e)	Unit cost (g)
		Num-ber of units (f)	Total cost (h)

In submitting Form SPB-1.1, specify in Block 11 the date and reporting agency number appearing on the original SPB-1 declaration.

Fill in all numbered blocks correctly, underlining any correction that is being made. To identify the individual item being adjusted, insert in column (a) the page and item number appearing on the original declaration. Show the amount of the change, if reporting a withdrawal or addition of the number of units, column (f), or of the total cost, column (h). Specify as "withdrawal" or "addition" below entry.

If additions and withdrawals are reported on the same adjustment sheet, show the sum

Transmittal of Completed Forms SPB-1 With
Cost of \$25,000 or More

Completed Form SPB-2 will be transmitted to the Surplus Property Board accompanied by one copy of each Form SPB-1 filed during the current reporting month having a total cost of \$25,000 or more. Forms SPB-1 should be assembled according to disposal agency and in the order in which the agencies are listed in column (a).

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Adjustments or Withdrawals on Form
SPB-1.1

One copy of each correction or withdrawal of a declaration on Form SPB-1.1, filed during the current reporting month, which involves a total cost (appearing in Block 10) amounting to \$25,000 or more will also be submitted, separately assembled according to disposal agency.

communications from the owning agency concerning that declaration should be addressed to that disposal agency.

Withdrawals or Corrections. Form SPB-5 will be used by the owning agency for corrections, or requesting the withdrawal of real property previously declared surplus. Insert the word "withdrawal" or "correction" in the top margin of the form. The same reporting agency serial number appearing in Block 8 on the original declaration will be used on the form used for requesting a withdrawal or correction. Corrected or adjusted information will be underlined to permit ready identification of the new data. If a request for withdrawal covers all of the property included in a previous declaration, it is not necessary to provide the information required by Blocks 4-6, or 11-13. If a request for withdrawal covers only part of the property previously declared, the owning agency will submit a statement of justification and furnish all the information on that portion of property being withdrawn, as required by Form SPB-5, except that Blocks 4, 5 and 13 need not be completed. Withdrawals or corrections on Form SPB-5 will be filed in quadruplicate with the Surplus Property Board, unless the owning agency has received notice that the original declaration has been forwarded to a disposal agency by the Board. If the owning agency has received such notice, it will send one copy of Form SPB-5 and exhibits (if required) to the Surplus Property Board and two copies to the disposal agency to which the original declaration was forwarded by the Board.

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS

Block No.:

1. Insert the name and complete address of the office transmitting the declaration to the Surplus Property Board.

2. Insert the county and state in which the property is located. If it is urban property, give the city and street address; if rural property, give the general location of the property, for example "on U. S. Route No. 1, about 7 miles east of (city or town)." Attach an area map showing the location of the property, and specify the township and range.

3. Insert the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the principal individuals with whom the disposal agency should communicate to obtain additional information on the property.

4. Describe the use being made of the property at the time it was acquired by the Government and attach complete details.

5. Describe the highest and best future use of the property, in the opinion of the owning agency, and attach more detailed information or disposal plans that the agency may have or has been requested to furnish.

6. In the available space, give a general description of the real property, describing separately the type and condition of the land, betterments and buildings and, in the case of industrial real property, the kind and number of machines, equipment and portable tools. The general description should be supported by completely detailed information accompanying the form, including among other items, the full legal description of the property; plat of the land; plot plan showing buildings on the site; the number, size, construction and condition of each principal structure; their dates of construction; the names and addresses of architect, engineer and prime contractor; the name of the agency, if acquired from a Federal agency; the name and latest known address of former owner(s); the dates of acquisition; tract numbers keyed to the plot plan; etc. The supporting schedule should provide the disposal agency all the descriptive information available to the owning agency.

Form SPB-2 (3-27-45)		UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD		Budget Bureau No. 16-RO13 Approval expires May 1, 1946	
DECLARATIONS OF SURPLUS PERSONAL PROPERTY TO THE SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD (Monthly Summary of Forms SPB-1)				Owning agency	
IMPORTANT—Instructions for completing this form appear on reverse.				Date transmitted	
Line number	Declaration filed with (a)	Number of SPB-1 declarations filed in month (b)	Total cost (thousands of dollars) of SPB-1 declarations filed in month (c)		
1	A. SPB-1 Declarations with total cost of \$25,000 or more Treasury Department				
2	Reconstruction Finance Corporation				
3	U. S. Maritime Commission				
4	War Food Administration				
5					
6	Total				
7	B. SPB-1 Declarations with total cost under \$25,000 Treasury Department	XXX			
8	Reconstruction Finance Corporation	XXX			
9	U. S. Maritime Commission	XXX			
10	War Food Administration	XXX			
11					
12	Total	XXX			
13	C. All SPB-1 Declarations Treasury Department	XXX			
14	Reconstruction Finance Corporation	XXX			
15	U. S. Maritime Commission	XXX			
16	War Food Administration	XXX			
17					
18	Total	XXX			
By _____ Signature of reporting official					

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING FORM SPB-5
(To be printed on reverse side of form)

GENERAL

Form SPB-5 will be used by all owning agencies for declaring surplus real property, located in the United States, its territories and possessions, to the Surplus Property Board.

Form SPB-5 will be filed in quadruplicate, with supporting exhibits in triplicate, at the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C.

Real property declared surplus on one Form SPB-5 will be confined to property at a single location.

Personal Property. All declarations of personal property declared surplus in conjunction with real property shall be filed with the Board on Form SPB-1, in triplicate, and accompany the declaration on Form SPB-5. In completing Form SPB-1, the owning agency will not fill in Block 1 (Disposal Agency) of

that form. This block will be filled in later by the Surplus Property Board, or by the disposal agency to which the declaration of real property on Form SPB-5 is assigned.

Attachments and Exhibits. The detailed instructions for certain blocks on Form SPB-5 request that supporting schedules or more complete data be attached. Such supporting data may be consolidated in one complete survey of the property, in which case, reference will be made in the particular block on Form SPB-5 to the page or tab of the survey where the detailed information may be found. If separate exhibits or attachments are provided, each will be clearly identified with the corresponding block number of Form SPB-5. In either case, however, each block will be filled out as stated in the Detailed Instructions.

After the owning agency receives notice that a declaration on Form SPB-5 has been forwarded by the Board to a disposal agency,

which would be helpful in accomplishing disposal of the property.

NOTE: An attorney's certificate or report on the Government's legal title to the property will be submitted with the above exhibits, if it can be obtained by the time Form SPB-5 is filed. If not, such report or certificate will be furnished as soon thereafter as possible. Two copies will be sent to the disposal agency to whom the declaration was forwarded by the Board and one copy will be sent to the Board; if the owning agency has not received notice of the name of the disposal agency, all three copies will be sent to the Board.

7. Enter the date on which the declaration is signed by the authorizing official.

8. Enter the serial number assigned by the owning agency to identify each declaration.

9 and 10. Do not fill in.

11. Insert the approximate area of the real property expressed in acres or square feet.

12. After "acquisition" enter the original cost (actual or estimated) to the Govern-

ment, including land and buildings purchased at the time of the acquisition; after "betterments" enter the cost (actual or estimated) to the Government of plants, buildings, utilities, roads, etc., constructed or placed on the land. In a supporting schedule furnish the cost to the Government of each major classification of construction or betterments. The cost should include any amounts which have been obligated although not disbursed.

13. If the net proceeds from the sale or transfer of such surplus real property are reimbursable pursuant to section 30 (b) of the Surplus Property Act of 1944, give the symbol and title of the appropriation to be credited, or the name and address of the Government corporation to receive the proceeds.

14. The authorized reporting official will enter his signature below (original only) and his name and title will be typed in above (all copies).

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FORM SPB-5 (3-30-45)		UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD		Budget Bureau No. 16-R005.2 Approval expires May 1, 1946	
DECLARATION OF SURPLUS REAL PROPERTY (IN THE CONTINENTAL U. S., ITS TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS) TO THE SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.				7. Date	8. Reporting agency No.
IMPORTANT—Instructions for completing this form appear on reverse.				9. Surplus Property Board No.	10. Disposal agency No.
1. From:				11. Approximate area	
2. Location of property. (Attach map.)				12. Cost of property	
3. Representatives to contact				Acquisition	\$
4. Use of property when acquired				Betterments	\$
5. Opinion of best future use				Total	\$
6. General description of property				13. Proceeds: If "Reimbursable," give symbol and title of appropriation or Government corporation.	
Do not fill in		14. Authorized by			
Forwarded by SPB to:		Name of reporting official (Please type)			
		Title (Please type)			
Date	Initials	By Signature of authorized official			

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TITLE 36—PARKS AND FORESTS

Chapter I—National Park Service

PART 2—GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

TRAVEL ON TRAILS

Paragraph (d) of § 2.33, Title 36, Chapter I, Part 2, Code of Federal Regulations, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2.33 *Travel on trails.* * * *

(d) The loose herding of pack and saddle animals on park trails is pro-

hibited: *Provided*, That the superintendent may permit such loose herding on hazardous trails, or portions thereof, designated by him.

(39 Stat. 535; 16 U.S.C. sec. 3)

Issued this 31st day of March 1945.

[SEAL] MICHAEL W. STRAUS,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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TITLE 43—PUBLIC LANDS: INTERIOR

Chapter I—General Land Office

[Circular 1601]

PART 193—MINERAL LANDS: COAL PERMITS, LEASES AND LICENSES

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

Section 193.21 is amended by eliminating therefrom the words "or where any part of the land is within a reclamation project" in the second sentence.

Section 193.24 is amended to read:

§ 193.24 *Requirements when lands are within a reclamation project.* Where any part of the lands embraced in an application for coal permit or lease is within a reclamation project, the Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, will be requested to submit a report as to whether there is any objection to the granting of a coal permit or lease. In cases where the Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, recommends that a special stipulation be furnished by the applicant to protect the interest of the United States, such stipulation will be required prior to the granting of a permit or lease.

Part 193 is further amended by adding thereto the following:

ASSIGNMENTS AND SUBLEASES

§ 193.26a *Assignments of leases and permits; subleases.* Leases may be assigned or subleased in whole or in part to qualified persons or corporations upon first obtaining consent of the Secretary of the Interior. Permits may be assigned upon first obtaining consent of the Commissioner of the General Land Office. Assignments, whether by direct assignment, operating agreement, working or royalty interest, or otherwise, or subleases, when submitted must be filed in triplicate within 90 days from date of execution and must contain all of the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties thereto. If the true consideration is not stated in the instrument, an accompanying affidavit must be submitted stating the consideration in full. The affidavit will be treated as confidential and not for public inspection.

Paragraph (2j) of the form of coal lease, 4-698, set out in § 193.16 is amended to read:

(2j) That the lessee shall not assign this lease or any interest therein, whether by direct assignment, operating agreement, working or royalty interest, or otherwise, nor sublet any portion of the leased premises, except with the consent in writing of the Secretary of the Interior. All such assignments or subleases must be submitted in triplicate within 90 days from date of execution and must contain all of the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties thereto. If the true consideration is not stated in the instrument, an accompanying affidavit must be submitted stating the consideration in full.

The form of coal permit set out in § 193.22, Form 4-694, is amended by deleting the text which follows paragraph numbered four and substituting therefor the following:

5. To abide by and conform to any and all reasonable regulations of the Secretary of the

Interior now or hereafter in force, all of which regulations are made a part and condition of this permit: *Provided*, That such regulations are not inconsistent with any express and specific provisions hereof.

6. That the permittee shall not assign this permit or any interest therein, whether by direct assignment, operating agreement, working or royalty interest, or otherwise, except with the consent in writing of the Commissioner of the General Land Office. All such assignments must be submitted in triplicate within 90 days from date of execution and must contain all of the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties thereto. If the true consideration is not stated in the instrument, an accompanying affidavit must be submitted stating the consideration in full.

7. To conduct operations under this permit in such a way as not to interfere with the administration and use of the land to a greater extent than may be determined by the Secretary of the Interior to be necessary for the most beneficial use of the land in case any of the land described herein is embraced in a forest, reclamation, power, or other withdrawal or is segregated for any particular purpose.

Expressly reserving to the Secretary of the Interior the right to permit for joint or several use such easements or rights of way upon, through, or in the lands embraced herein as may be necessary or appropriate to the working of the same, or of other lands containing the deposits described in said act, and the treatment and shipment of the products thereof by or under authority of the Government, its lessees, or permittees, and for other public purposes; also reserving to the United States the right to lease, sell, or otherwise dispose of the surface of said lands under existing law or laws hereafter enacted insofar as said surface is not necessary for the use of the permittee in prospecting hereunder, and further reserving the right and authority to cancel this instrument for failure of the permittee to comply with any of the conditions hereof, after 30 days' notice of the reasons for such cancellation.

The granting of this permit will not preclude the issuance of other permits or leases of the same land for the mining of other minerals with suitable stipulations as to joint operation, in order that the full development of the mineral resources may be obtained.

Valid existing rights acquired prior hereto on the lands described herein will not be adversely affected hereby.

Dated: _____

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

(Sec. 32, 41 Stat. 450, 30 U.S.C. 189)

FRED W. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

Approved: March 27, 1945.

MICHAEL W. STRAUS,
Assistant Secretary.

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[Circular 1602]

PART 257—LEASE OR SALE OF SMALL TRACTS,
NOT EXCEEDING FIVE ACRES, FOR HOME,
CABIN, CAMP, HEALTH, CONVALESCENT,
RECREATIONAL OR BUSINESS SITES¹

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

The regulations governing leases or sales under the Act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609; 43 U.S.C. 682a), contained in Part 257 of Title 43 (Circulars 1470, 1491, 1506, and 1536 of June 10, 1940, July 3,

¹ The title for Part 257 is amended to conform hereto.

1941, March 25, 1942, and May 26, 1943, respectively), are amended by amending the sections listed below, and adding a new section, as follows:

1. Section 257.4 is amended by substituting in the first sentence thereof a period for the comma after the figure 4-775, and deleting the succeeding phrase in that sentence. The section is further amended by deleting therefrom the second paragraph and the Form (4-775) of Application for Lease.

2. Section 257.9, preceding Form 4-776, is amended to read:

§ 257.9 *Issuance of a lease.* Leases under the Small Tract Act will be prepared in quadruplicate on Form 4-776.

Applications for leases may be acted upon by the register, and leases issued by him, for not more than five years, for a home, cabin, camp, health, convalescent, or recreational site, without obtaining approval of the Secretary of the Interior or the Commissioner of the General Land Office, provided the application is for land already classified for such purpose by the Secretary and the application relates only to a single tract as established by the order of classification. All leases for business sites will be issued by the Commissioner.

Except as in this section provided, the Commissioner will act upon all applications for leases of land previously classified for such purpose by the Secretary.

3. The section is further amended by deleting therefrom the form of lease, 4-776.

4. Section 257.26 is amended to read:

§ 257.26 *Rights of veterans of World War II.* Where public land is classified under the Small Tract Act by the Secretary of the Interior, on his own motion, veterans of World War II have a preference right for 90 days, in accordance with section 4 of the Act of September 27, 1944 (58 Stat. 748, 43 U.S.C. sec. 282), after the effective date of the classification of the lands, in which to file application under the Small Tract Act.

5. The following section is added:

§ 257.27 *Appeals.* An appeal pursuant to the Rules of Practice, Part 221, may be taken from any decision of the register to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and, from his decision, to the Secretary of the Interior.

FRED W. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

Approved: March 30, 1945.

MICHAEL W. STRAUS,
Assistant Secretary.

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TITLE 46—SHIPPING

Chapter III—War Shipping Administration

[Rev. G. O. 22, Supp. 2]

PART 310—MERCHANT MARINE TRAINING REGULATIONS AND MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR STATE MARITIME ACADEMIES

Effective as of March 1, 1945, § 310.8
Curriculum is amended by striking out

paragraph (a) and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

(a) For the duration of the emergency proclaimed by the President May 7, 1941, the period of training shall be a minimum of sixteen months, six months of which must be spent aboard training ships in a cruise status. This period may be extended at the discretion of the several State Maritime Academies.

(E.O. 9054, 9198; 3 C.F.R. Cum. Supp.)

E. S. LAND,
Administrator.

APRIL 4, 1945.

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Notices

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

Bureau of Reclamation.

[No. 5]

ROZA DIVISION, YAKIMA PROJECT, WASH. ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANNUAL WATER RENTAL CHARGES

MARCH 29, 1945.

1. I have determined that it is factually impossible, in view of the provision for construction of distribution works by the United States under the contract with the Roza Irrigation District dated December 13, 1935, to make water available for diversion by said District for irrigation use as contemplated in article 16 of the contract of July 8, 1921, as amended by the contract with the said District dated April 15, 1935; therefore

2. Announcement is hereby made, pursuant to article 31 of the contract dated December 13, 1935, that water will be furnished, if and when available, during the irrigation season of 1945 (from April 1 to October 31, inclusive) for the irrigation of Roza Irrigation District lands, hereinafter described, upon a water rental basis, at rates and upon terms as follows:

(a) For privately owned lands and leased public lands under the Yakima Ridge canal in the following sections:

Sections 1, 11, 12, 13, and 14, T. 12 N., R. 19 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 16, 22, 23, 25, 26, and 36, T. 13 N., R. 19 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, T. 14 N., R. 19 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 24, and 25, T. 11 N., R. 20 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 17, 18, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34, T. 12 N., R. 20 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 30, 31, and 32, T. 13 N., R. 20 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, T. 10 N., R. 21 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 7, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, T. 11 N., R. 21 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, and 12, T. 10 N., R. 22 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, T. 11 N., R. 22 E., Willamette Meridian;
Sections 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, and 13, T. 9 N., R. 23 E., Willamette Meridian;

Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35, and 36, T. 10 N., R. 23 E., Willamette Meridian;

Section 31, T. 11 N., R. 23 E., Willamette Meridian;

Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, T. 9 N., R. 24 E., Willamette Meridian;

Section 31, T. 10 N., R. 24 E., Willamette Meridian;

Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, and 18, T. 9 N., R. 25 E., Willamette Meridian.

(b) A minimum charge of two dollars (\$2.00) per irrigable acre for each irrigable acre of the legal subdivision for which such service is requested for two (2) acre-feet per irrigable acre per annum, and payable by the District to the United States in advance of delivery of water. Additional water will be furnished at the following rates payable by the District in advance:

	Per acre-foot
Third acre-foot per acre.....	\$1.40
Fourth acre-foot per acre.....	1.85
Fifth acre-foot per acre.....	2.30
Sixth and additional acre-feet per acre..	2.75

3. Water will be delivered and measured at the tap or weir nearest to the individual farms.

4. The District will request water delivery for, and certify to the United States as entitled to receive water, only such lands as are owned or are held under contract of purchase by persons who are duly qualified to receive water under the terms of the Reclamation Act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388), and acts of Congress supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof, and who have duly complied with the requirements of the contract of December 13, 1935, between the United States and the Roza Irrigation District, including:

(a) The execution and delivery of the recordable contract as provided for in article 28 of said contract;

(b) The execution and delivery of an application for water service, as provided for in article 28 of said contract; and

(c) The execution and delivery of a valid recordable contract, in the case of ownership of excess land, as provided for article 29 of said contract;

5. Applications for water on the basis of this announcement will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Roza Irrigation District at Zillah, Washington, and payments will be made to that office.

(Act of June 17, 1902, 32 Stat. 388, as amended or supplemented)

H. W. BASHORE,
Commissioner.

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[No. 43]

SUNNYSIDE DIVISION, YAKIMA PROJECT,
WASH.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF ANNUAL OPERATION AND
MAINTENANCE CHARGES

FEBRUARY 28, 1945.

1. In accordance with the provisions of the contract of January 3, 1945, between the Sunnyside Valley Irrigation District and the United States, operation and

maintenance of the Sunnyside division of the Yakima project, except certain reserved works will, on March 1, 1945, be turned over to a Board of Control. In order to reimburse the United States for the proportion of the estimated cost of operation and maintenance incurred prior to March 1, notice is hereby given that for the calendar year 1945, charges shall be as follows:

(a) *Operation and maintenance charges for lands subject to public notice rates.* Each acre of irrigable land subject to public notice rates in the Sunnyside Valley Irrigation District, Yakima project, Washington, shall be charged with an operation charge of seventy-five cents (\$0.75).

(b) *Operation and maintenance charges for old supplemental lands.* For lands (so-called Old Supplemental Lands) under said division of said project having certain supplemental water right contracts with the United States, there will be made, for that part of the calendar year 1945 prior to March 1, a proportionate operation and maintenance charge of twenty-five cents (\$0.25) per acre.

2. *Time of payments.* All charges announced herein are due and payable on December 31, 1945.

(Act of June 17, 1902, 32 Stat. 388, as amended or supplemented)

H. W. BASHORE,
Commissioner.

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[No. 55]

YUMA IRRIGATION PROJECT, ARIZ.-CALIF.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF ANNUAL WATER CHARGES

MARCH 29, 1945.

1. *Annual operation and maintenance charges for lands under public notice, Reservation Division.* The annual operation and maintenance charge for the irrigation season of 1945, and thereafter until further notice, against all lands of the Reservation Division of the Yuma Irrigation Project, Arizona-California, under public notice, shall be a minimum of three dollars and twenty cents (\$3.20) per irrigable acre, whether water is used or not, which charge shall permit the delivery of not to exceed 5 acre-feet of water per acre on certain sandy areas shown on the list attached to public notices No. 31 dated April 14, 1931, No. 40 dated March 1, 1935, No. 43 dated February 17, 1936, No. 47 dated March 5, 1937, and No. 49 dated March 28, 1938, and of not to exceed 4 acre-feet of water per irrigable acre on all other lands of this division. Additional water shall be furnished at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) per acre-foot. Where, in the opinion of the Superintendent, it may be done without interference with other project requirements, upon written request filed in advance by the water users, water will be furnished free of charge for reclaiming lands by the removal of alkali either by growing rice or similar crops or by the usual leaching methods; and water in excess of the minimum amount herein

provided, which is to be used for the growing of fertilizer crops of no commercial value or which is to be used for the purpose of depositing silt upon the land, shall be furnished free of charge. All lands for which free water was served during the year 1944 will not again be served free water until a showing satisfactory to the project superintendent has been made that the water so granted free of charge during the year 1944 was applied to the land in sufficient quantities over a period of not less than 3 months, in which event water shall again be served free of charge provided the results accomplished during the preceding irrigation season were not satisfactory. All operation and maintenance charges shall be due and payable on March 1 of each year for the preceding irrigation season to the Bureau of Reclamation, Yuma Arizona.

2. *Annual water rental charges for other lands, Reservation Division.* Lands not under public notice that can be irrigated from the present distribution system without further construction expense by the Bureau may secure irrigation water under water rental contracts at a rate of three dollars and twenty cents (\$3.20) per irrigable acre, which charge will permit the delivery of not to exceed 4 acre-feet of water per irrigable acre, and additional water will be delivered at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) per acre-foot. All charges due under water rental contracts are payable in advance of the delivery of water. The minimum charge as specified shall be paid before any water is delivered during the current or subsequent seasons and all additional or excess water over the minimum of 4 acre-feet shall be paid for when ordered and prior to delivery. Refund will be made for excess water paid for but not used.

3. *Annual water rental charge for lands in the Valley Division not under public notice.* Lands in the Valley division not under public notice which can be irrigated from the present distribution system without further construction expense by the United States may secure irrigation water during the calendar year 1945 and thereafter until further notice under water rental contracts at a rate of four dollars and twenty-five cents (\$4.25) per irrigable acre, which charge will permit the delivery of four acre-feet per irrigable acre. Additional water furnished will be charged for at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) per acre-foot, payable in advance of delivery. All town lots that can be served under the present system may secure water under annual water rental contracts at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) a lot of not exceeding sixty (60) feet in width, and one dollar (\$1.00) for each additional such lot in the same township. All payments under water rental contracts are due and payable in advance of the delivery of water to the Bureau of Reclamation, Yuma, Arizona.

(Act of June 17, 1902, 32 Stat. 388, as amended or supplemented)

H. W. BASHORE,
Commissioner.

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Office of the Secretary.

REGISTERS OF DISTRICT LAND OFFICES

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CERTAIN
LEASES UNDER THE SMALL TRACT ACT

Pursuant to sections 161, 453 and 2478 Rev. Stat. (5 U.S.C. sec. 22 and 43 U.S.C. secs. 2, and 1201 respectively), it is hereby ordered as follows:

I. The Register of any district land office may hereafter act in relation to the following class of matters without obtaining Secretarial approval, or the approval of the Commissioner, unless the Secretary or the Commissioner in any particular matter determines otherwise, subject in any event to an appeal to the Commissioner and from his decision to the Secretary, according to the rules of practice, and subject to the provisions of Part II of this order:

(a) Applications to lease public lands for a home, cabin, camp, health, convalescent, or recreational site, under the act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609; 43 U.S.C. sec. 682a), and the issuance of such leases for periods not exceeding five years, provided the applications are for land already classified for leasing for such purposes by the Secretary and the applications relate only to a single tract as established by the order of classification.

II. This order does not relate to or authorize the classification of public lands pursuant to the Small Tract Act or any other act requiring the classification of public lands prior to the exercise of the functions herein prescribed and the authority hereby delegated does not extend to any action with respect to the assignment, modification, renewal, or cancellation of a lease nor to any application for a lease for a business site.

III. This order is effective immediately, but matters now pending before the General Land Office or the Department will be cleared as heretofore.

MICHAEL W. STRAUS,
Assistant Secretary.

MARCH 30, 1945.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5553; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION.

[Docket No. G-629]

CITIES SERVICE GAS CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE

APRIL 3, 1945.

Notice is hereby given that on March 22, 1945, an application was filed with the Federal Power Commission by Cities Service Gas Company, a Delaware Corporation having its principal place of business at First National Building, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, to authorize applicant to acquire and operate facilities of Cities Service Transportation and Chemical Company consisting of 231 miles of 26-inch natural-gas transmission pipe line extending in an easterly direction from

a point near Guymon, Texas County, Oklahoma, in Hugoton gas field to the Cities Service Gas Company's Blackwell compressor station in Kay County, Oklahoma, together with a compressor station and a dehydration plant located at the western terminus of the aforesaid pipe line, and other appurtenant facilities.

Applicant states that it proposes to acquire the aforesaid facilities at their cost to Cities Service Transportation and Chemical Company less the reserves for depreciation.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with respect to said application should, on or before the 3d day of May, 1945, file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., a petition or protest in accordance with the Commission's provisional rules of practice and regulations under the Natural Gas Act.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5542; Filed, Apr. 5, 1945;
3:38 p. m.]

[Docket No. G-623]

NORTHERN NATURAL GAS CO.

ORDER FIXING DATE OF HEARING

APRIL 3, 1945.

Upon consideration of the application filed February 19, 1945, by Northern Natural Gas Company (Applicant) for a certificate of public convenience and necessity under section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, to authorize the construction and operation of the following-described facilities:

(1) One additional 1300-horsepower compressor unit at each of Applicant's Bushton, Kansas, and Mullinville, Kansas, compressor stations together with appurtenances and equipment; and
(2) Approximately 15.4 miles of 24-inch loop line extending from the NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 14, T. 14 S., R. 7 W., Ellsworth County, Kansas, in a northeasterly direction to a point in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T. 12 S., R. 5 W., Ottawa County, Kansas, together with 16-inch tie-over lines and appurtenances;

The Commission orders that:

(A) A public hearing be held commencing on May 2, 1945, at 10 a. m. (e. w. t.) in the hearing room of the Federal Power Commission, Hurley-Wright Building, 1800 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., respecting the matters involved and the issues presented in this proceeding;

(B) Interested State commissions may participate in this hearing, as provided in § 67.4 of the provisional rules of practice and regulations under the Natural Gas Act.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5544; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
8:52 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-586]

KENTUCKY NATURAL GAS CORP.

ORDER POSTPONING DATE OF HEARING

APRIL 3, 1945.

It appearing to the Commission that:

(a) On March 2, 1945, the Commission ordered that a public hearing in the above-entitled matter be held commencing on April 10, 1945, at 10:00 a. m. (c. w. t.) in Room 705, United States Custom House, Chicago, Illinois.

(b) Good cause exists for postponing the date of hearing as hereinafter provided.

The Commission orders that:

The public hearing in the above-entitled proceeding is hereby postponed to April 26, 1945, commencing at 10:00 a. m. (c. w. t.) in Room 705, United States Custom House, Chicago, Illinois.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5545; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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[Docket Nos. G-590 and G-592]

KENTUCKY NATURAL GAS CORP.

ORDER POSTPONING DATE OF HEARING

APRIL 3, 1945.

It appearing to the Commission that:

(a) On March 2, 1945, the Commission ordered that a public hearing in the above-entitled matters be held commencing on April 11, 1945, at 10:00 a. m. (c. w. t.) in Room 705, United States Custom House, Chicago, Illinois.

(b) Good cause exists for postponing the date of hearing as hereinafter provided.

The Commission orders that: The public hearing in the above-entitled proceedings is hereby postponed to April 27, 1945, commencing at 10:00 a. m. (c. w. t.) in Room 705, United States Custom House, Chicago, Illinois.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5546; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
9:47 a. m.]

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY.

Food and Drug Administration.

[Docket No. FDC-18 (a)]

DEFINITION AND STANDARDS OF IDENTITY
FOR CANNED ASPARAGUS

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the matter of a proposal to amend the definition and standard of identity for canned asparagus.

Notice is hereby given that the Administrator of the Federal Security Agency, upon the application of a substantial portion of the interested industry, stating reasonable grounds therefor, and in accordance with the provisions of sections 401 and 701 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. secs. 341

and 371 (Supp. V. 1939); the Reorganization Act of 1939, 53 Stat. 561, 5 U.S.C. sec. 133 (Supp. V. 1939) and Reorganization Plans No. I (53 Stat. 1423, 4 F.R. 2727) and No. IV (54 Stat. 1234, 5 F.R. 2421)), will hold a public hearing commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning of May 8, 1945, in Room 1409 South Building, United States Department of Agriculture, Independence Avenue and 12th Streets SW., Washington, D. C., upon a proposal to amend § 52.990 of the regulations prescribing definitions and standards of identity for various canned vegetables so as to provide for the optional use as a packing medium for canned asparagus of the liquid expressed from asparagus stalks or parts of such stalks.

Mr. Edward E. Turkel hereby is designated as presiding officer to conduct the hearing, in the place of the Administrator, with full authority to administer oaths and affirmations and to do all other things appropriate to the conduct of the hearing.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the rules of practice provided therefor (see 5 F.R. 2379-2381).

In lieu of oral testimony, interested persons may submit affidavits to the presiding officer at Room 4148 South Building, United States Department of Agriculture, Independence Avenue, between 12th and 14th Streets, S. W., Washington, D. C., at any time prior to the hearing. Such affidavits should be submitted in quintuplicate and, if relevant and material, will be received and made a part of the record of the hearing, but the Administrator will consider the lack of opportunity for cross-examination in determining the weight to be given to statements contained therein. Every interested person will be permitted, in accordance with the above-mentioned rules of practice, to examine all affidavits submitted and to file counteraffidavits with the presiding officer.

At the hearing evidence will be restricted to testimony and exhibits that are relevant and material to the issue contained in the proposal.

The proposal is subject to adoption, rejection, amendment, or modification by the Administrator, in whole or in part, as the evidence adduced at the hearing may require.

Dated: April 5, 1945.

[SEAL] WATSON B. MILLER,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5559; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
10:39 a. m.]

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION.

[Docket No. 4927]

THE ADLERIKO CO.

ORDER APPOINTING TRIAL EXAMINER AND FIXING TIME AND PLACE FOR TAKING TESTIMONY

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1945.

This matter being at issue and ready for the taking of testimony, and pursuant to authority vested in the Federal Trade Commission,

It is ordered, That John W. Addison, a trial examiner of this Commission, be and he hereby is designated and appointed to take testimony and receive evidence in this proceeding and to perform all other duties authorized by law;

It is further ordered, That the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on Tuesday, May 1, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (central standard time), in Room 307, United States Court House, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Upon completion of testimony for the Federal Trade Commission, the trial examiner is directed to proceed immediately to take testimony and evidence on behalf of the respondent. The trial examiner will then close the case and make his report upon the facts; conclusions of facts; conclusions of law; and recommendation for appropriate action by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5561; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:02 a. m.]

[Docket No. 5014]

GATTIS CHEMICAL CO.

ORDER APPOINTING TRIAL EXAMINER AND FIXING TIME AND PLACE FOR TAKING TESTIMONY

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1945.

This matter being at issue and ready for the taking of testimony, and pursuant to authority vested in the Federal Trade Commission,

It is ordered, That John W. Addison, a trial examiner of this Commission, be and he hereby is designated and appointed to take testimony and receive evidence in this proceeding and to perform all other duties authorized by law;

It is further ordered, That the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on Thursday, April 19, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (central standard time), in Room 245, United States Court House, Nashville, Tennessee.

Upon completion of testimony for the Federal Trade Commission, the trial examiner is directed to proceed immediately to take testimony and evidence on behalf of the respondent. The trial examiner will then close the case and make his report upon the facts; conclusions of facts; conclusions of law; and recommendation for appropriate action by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5562; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:02 a. m.]

[Docket No. 5211]

PROFESSIONAL PRODUCTS CORP., ET AL.

ORDER APPOINTING TRIAL EXAMINER AND FIXING TIME AND PLACE FOR TAKING TESTIMONY

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1945.

In the matter of Professional Products Corporation, a corporation, also trading as Seal-Seep Service Company, National Seal-Seep Company, Seal-Seep Service Division, Professional Products Co., and George A. Rosenzweig, individually and as an officer of Professional Products Corporation.

This matter being at issue and ready for the taking of testimony, and pursuant to authority vested in the Federal Trade Commission,

It is ordered, That John W. Addison, a trial examiner of this Commission, be and he hereby is designated and appointed to take testimony and receive evidence in this proceeding and to perform all other duties authorized by law;

It is further ordered, That the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on Monday, April 23, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (eastern standard time), in Court Room No. 1, Room 805, Federal Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Upon completion of testimony for the Federal Trade Commission, the trial examiner is directed to proceed immediately to take testimony and evidence on behalf of the respondent. The trial examiner will then close the case and make his report upon the facts; conclusions of facts; conclusions of law; and recommendation for appropriate action by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5563; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:02 a. m.]

[Docket No. 5215]

LEE PRODUCTS AND CHEMI-CULTURE
LABORATORIES

ORDER APPOINTING TRIAL EXAMINER AND FIXING TIME AND PLACE FOR TAKING TESTIMONY

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1945.

In the matter of Milton L. Lieberman, an individual, trading as Lee Products, and as Chemi-Culture Laboratories.

This matter being at issue and ready for the taking of testimony, and pursuant to authority vested in the Federal Trade Commission,

It is ordered, That John W. Addison, a trial examiner of this Commission, be and he hereby is designated and appointed to take testimony and receive evidence in this proceeding and to perform all other duties authorized by law;

It is further ordered, That the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on

Thursday, April 26, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (central standard time), in Room 1121, New Post Office Building, Chicago, Illinois.

Upon completion of testimony for the Federal Trade Commission, the trial examiner is directed to proceed immediately to take testimony and evidence on behalf of the respondent. The trial examiner will then close the case and make his report upon the facts; conclusions of facts; conclusions of law; and recommendation for appropriate action by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5564; Filed, April 6, 1945;
11:03 a. m.]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

[S. O. 70-A, Special Permit 954]

RECONSIGNMENT OF GRAPEFRUIT AT CHICAGO, ILL.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Chicago, Illinois, March 4, 1945, by Arthur Gerber & Company, of car URT 5509, grapefruit, now on the Chicago Produce Terminal, to Ben B. Schwartz & Company, Detroit, Michigan, (Wabash).

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 4th day of April, 1945.

V. C. CLINGER,
Director,
Bureau of Service.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5566; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:16 a. m.]

[S. O. 70-A, Special Permit 955]

RECONSIGNMENT OF CELERY AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies

to the reconsignment at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 4, 1945, by Charles Taxin Company, of car ART 21251, celery, now on the Pennsylvania Railroad, to Robert T. Cochran, New York, N. Y., Pennsylvania Railroad.

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 4th day of April, 1945.

V. C. CLINGER,
Director,
Bureau of Service.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5567; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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[S. O. 270-B]

LOADING OF ANTHRACITE COAL AT KINGSTON, PA.

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1945.

Upon further consideration of Service Order No. 270 (10 F. R. 207) of December 30, 1944, as amended (10 F. R. 415), and good cause appearing therefor: *It is ordered*, That:

(a) Service Order No. 270 (10 F. R. 207) of December 30, 1944, suspended by Service Order 270-A of January 6, 1945, prohibiting the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company from setting coal cars at Luzerne Colliery, Kingston, Pennsylvania, for loading with anthracite produced by Luzerne Anthracite, Inc., be, and it is hereby, further suspended until 12:01 a. m., July 1, 1945. (40 Stat. 101, sec. 402, 41 Stat. 476, sec. 4, 54 Stat. 901, 911; 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17) 15 (2))

It is further ordered, That this order shall become effective at 11:59 p. m., April 6, 1945; that a copy of this order shall be served on the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission; that a copy of this order and direction shall be served upon the railroads named in paragraph (a), and upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5568; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:16 a. m.]

OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION.

[Order 51 Under 19a]

WRECKING CORPORATION OF AMERICA

ESTABLISHMENT OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith, and in accordance with § 1499.19a of the General Maximum Price Regulation, *It is ordered*:

(1) For the purpose of this order, "used lumber" is defined as lumber and lumber products which have been recovered from, and at one time were a part of a building, structure or fabricated item made wholly or partially of lumber.

(2) The maximum prices for sales of used lumber shall continue to be the individual seller's maximum prices as established under the provisions of the General Maximum Price Regulation, except that any seller who qualifies under this order, and to whom this order is extended to apply, may agree with any buyer that his maximum prices on sales and deliveries of used lumber may be adjusted upward after delivery is made, such adjustment not to exceed the maximum prices to be established by action taken by the Office of Price Administration covering the area where the sale or delivery is made. A seller who has acquired stocks of used lumber since January 1, 1945 through wrecking operations or otherwise, may qualify for relief under this order and may apply to the Office of Price Administration for permission to make sales of such stocks of used lumber under the provisions of this order.

(3) This order applies to sales of used lumber made by Wrecking Corporation of America, 2200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

(4) This order shall automatically be revoked in any area where action is taken by the Office of Price Administration covering sales of used lumber.

(5) This order may be modified or revoked by the Price Administrator at any time.

This order shall become effective April 7, 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5568; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:47 a. m.]

[MPR 120, Order 1326]

ALFRED HUTTON AND BUENA VISTA COAL MINE

ESTABLISHMENT OF MAXIMUM PRICES AND PRICE CLASSIFICATIONS

Correction

In Federal Register document 45-4885, appearing at page 3376 of the issue for Thursday, March 29, 1945, the truck shipment price for egg coal from the Buena Vista Coal Mine, shown in the second table on page 3377, should read "460."

[MPR 188, Order 3592]

ACE MANUFACTURING CO.

AUTHORIZATION OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, *It is ordered:*

(a) The maximum prices, f. o. b. point of manufacture, for sales by any person of the following cast-iron anti-syphon ballcock manufactured by the Ace Manufacturing Company, shall be:

(1) On sales to consumers:	<i>Each</i>
Ace Quality cast-iron anti-syphon ballcock, with plastic hush tube	\$2.85
Without plastic hush tube	2.60

(2) On sales to plumbing and heating contractors, installers, commercial and industrial users:

<i>Each</i>	
Ace Quality cast-iron anti-syphon ballcock, with plastic hush tube	\$2.15
Without plastic hush tube	1.95

(3) On sales to plumbing and heating jobbers:

<i>Each</i>	
Ace Quality cast-iron anti-syphon ballcock, with plastic hush tube	\$1.57½
Without plastic hush tube	1.42½

(b) The maximum prices specified in (a) above shall be subject to discounts, allowances including transportation allowances, and the rendition of services which are at least as favorable as those which each seller extended or rendered or would have extended or rendered to purchasers of the same class on comparable sales of similar commodities during March 1942.

(c) The maximum prices for sales on an installed basis of the commodities covered by this order shall be determined in accordance with Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 251.

(d) Ace Manufacturing Company of Los Angeles, California, shall notify each of its purchasers at or before the time of the first invoice of the maximum price established by this order for the Ace Manufacturing Company on sales to such purchasers and the maximum resale prices established for such purchasers.

(e) The Ace Manufacturing Company shall attach a tag to the commodity covered by this order and shall print in a conspicuous place on the tag the maximum price to consumers established by this order and shall identify such price as the maximum price to the consumer.

(f) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

This order shall become effective April 7, 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5589; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:48 a. m.]

No. 70—5

[MPR 188, Order 3594]

BLAKELY MILLS, INC.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, *It is ordered:*

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by Blakely Mills, Inc., 875 Hickory Street, Peckville, Pa.

(1) For all sales and deliveries to the following classes of purchasers by the sellers indicated below, the maximum prices are those set forth below:

Article—#8000 Electric Grill.	
Maximum prices for sales by manufacturer to—	<i>Each</i>
Distributor	\$1.68
Wholesaler	1.85
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	2.19
Retailer (in units of less than 6)	2.34
Maximum prices for sales by sellers other than the manufacturer to—	
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	2.19
Retailer (in units of less than 6)	2.34
Consumer	3.55

These maximum prices are for the articles described in the manufacturer's application dated February 7, 1945.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries. These prices are f. o. b. factory and are subject to a cash discount of 2% for payment within 10 days, net 30 days.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. Those prices are subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., under the Fourth Pricing Method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) The manufacturer shall attach a tag or label to every article for which a maximum price for sales to consumers is established by this order. That tag or label shall contain the following statement:

Model 8000
OPA Retail Ceiling Price—\$3.55
Do Not Detach
Price includes the Federal Excise Tax.

(c) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum prices and condi-

tions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(e) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5591; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
11:48 a. m.]

[MPR 188, Order 3595]

TRUELINE MANUFACTURING CO.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, *It is ordered:*

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by Trueline Manufacturing Company, 2011 Main Street East, Rochester, N. Y. Drummers jazz brushes.

(1) For all sales and deliveries to the following classes of purchasers by the sellers indicated below, the maximum prices are those set forth below:

Maximum prices for sales made by the manufacturer:	<i>Per pair</i>
To jobbers	\$0.24
To retailers	.35
Maximum prices for sales made by persons other than the manufacturer:	
To retailers	.35
To consumers	.70

These maximum prices are for the articles described in the manufacturer's application dated February 23, 1945.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. Those prices are subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., under the Fourth Pricing Method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) The manufacturer shall attach a tag or label to every article for which a maximum price for sales to consumers is established by this order. That tag or label shall contain the following statement:

OPA Retail Ceiling Price—\$0.70 per pair
Do Not Detach

(c) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum prices and conditions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(e) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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[MPR 188, Order 3596]

MELVIN S. ADLER

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188; *It is ordered:*

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by Melvin S. Adler, 511 Melrose Street, Chicago 13, Illinois.

(1) For all sales and deliveries to the following classes of purchasers by the sellers indicated below, the maximum prices are those set forth below:

Article—No. 101A One-Burner Hot Plate

Maximum prices for sales by manufacturer to—	Each
Wholesaler	\$1.46
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	1.76
Retailer (in units of less than 6)	1.89
Maximum prices for sales by others than manufacturer to—	
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	1.76
Retailer (in units of less than 6)	1.89
Consumer	2.80

These maximum prices are for the articles described in the manufacturer's application dated February 8, 1945. They include the Federal Excise Tax.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries. They are f. o. b. factory and are subject to a cash discount of 2% for payment within 10 days, net 30 days.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. Those prices are subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Wash-

ington, D. C., under the Fourth Pricing Method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) The manufacturer shall attach a tag or label to every article for which a maximum price for sales to consumers is established by this order. That tag or label shall contain the following statement:

OPA Retail Ceiling Price—\$2.80
Do Not Detach

This price includes the Federal Excise Tax

(c) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum prices and conditions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(e) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April, 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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MONTICELLO MANUFACTURING CORP.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

Correction

In Federal Register document 45-4719, appearing on page 3254 of the issue for Tuesday, March 27, 1945, the last two figures in the table in paragraph (a) (1) should read "\$0.75" and "\$0.50" respectively.

[MPR 188, Order 3606]

NORTHWESTERN APPLIANCE CO.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188; *It is ordered:*

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by the Northwestern Appliance Company, 4128 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago 41, Illinois.

(1) For all sales and deliveries to the following classes of purchasers by the sellers indicated below, the maximum prices are those set forth below:

Article—2-burner Hot Plate No. 500

Maximum selling prices for sales by manufacturer to—	Each
Jobber	\$4.95
Retailer (6 units or more)	5.85
Retailer (less than 6 units)	6.30
Maximum selling prices for sellers other than the manufacturer to—	
Retailer (6 units or more)	5.85
Retailer (less than 6 units)	6.30
Consumer	9.45

These maximum prices are for the articles described in the manufacturer's application dated December 5, 1944. They include the Federal Excise Tax.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries. These prices are f. o. b. factory and subject to a cash discount of 2% for payment within 10 days, net 30 days.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. Those prices are subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., under the fourth pricing method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) The manufacturer shall attach a tag or label to every article for which a maximum price for sales to consumers is established by this order. That tag or label shall contain the following statement:

OPA Retail Ceiling Price—\$9.45
Do Not Detach

This price includes the Federal Excise Tax

(c) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum prices and conditions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(e) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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[MPR 188, Order 3607]

LOUIS BALDINGER & SONS, INC.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188; *It is ordered:*

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by Louis Baldinger & Sons, Inc., 59 Harrison Avenue, Brooklyn 11, New York.

(1) For all sales and deliveries to the following classes of purchasers by the sellers indicated below, the maximum prices are those set forth below:

Article—Model No. 1 Radiant Bowl Heater

Maximum price for sales by manufacturer to—	
Wholesaler	Each \$2.35
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	2.78
Retailer (in less than 6 units)	2.99
Maximum price for sales by sellers other than manufacturers—	
Retailer (in units of 6 or more)	2.78
Retailer (in less than 6 units)	2.99
Consumer	4.50

These maximum prices are for the articles described in the manufacturer's application dated February 7, 1945. These prices include Federal Excise Tax.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries. These prices are f. o. b. factory and are subject to a cash discount of 2% for payment within 10 days, net 30 days.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum prices apply to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. Those prices are subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., under the Fourth Pricing Method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) The manufacturer shall attach a tag or label to every article for which a maximum price for sales to consumers is established by this order. That tag or label shall contain the following statement:

Model No. 1
OPA Retail Ceiling Price
OPA Retail Ceiling Price \$4.50
This price includes the Federal Excise Tax.
Do Not Detach

(c) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum prices and conditions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(e) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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HILL-INDEPENDENT MANUFACTURING CO.
APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and

filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, It is ordered:

(a) This order establishes maximum prices for sales and deliveries of certain articles manufactured by Hill-Independent Manufacturing Company, of 559 E. High Street, Germantown, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania.

(1) For all sales and deliveries of Sliding "T" Wrenches to the Randolph Tool and Equipment Company of 3701 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania by the manufacturer, the maximum price is \$0.24 each.

This maximum price is for the article described in the manufacturer's application dated February 26, 1945.

(2) For sales by the manufacturer, the maximum price applies to all sales and deliveries since Maximum Price Regulation No. 188 became applicable to those sales and deliveries. This price is f. o. b. factory, with full freight allowed on shipments of 100 pounds or over, and is subject to a cash discount of 2% for payment within 10 days, net 30 days.

(3) For sales by persons other than the manufacturer, the maximum price applies to all sales and deliveries after the effective date of this order. This price is subject to each seller's customary terms and conditions of sale on sales of similar articles.

(4) If the manufacturer wishes to make sales and deliveries to any other class of purchaser or on other terms and conditions of sale, he must apply to the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., under the Fourth Pricing Method, § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188, for the establishment of maximum prices for those sales, and no sales or deliveries may be made until maximum prices have been authorized by the Office of Price Administration.

(b) At the time of, or prior to, the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, the seller shall notify the purchaser in writing of the maximum price and conditions established by this order for sales by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(c) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(d) This order shall become effective on the 7th day of April 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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SOUTHWESTERN DEVELOPMENT CO.
APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

Correction

In Federal Register document 45-4769, appearing on page 3262 of the issue for Tuesday, March 27, 1945, the last figure in the table in paragraph (a) (1) should read "1.86."

[MPR 188, Order 3593]

ACE MANUFACTURING CO.

AUTHORIZATION OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188; It is ordered:

(a) The maximum prices f. o. b. point of manufacture for sales by any person of the following brass anti-syphon ball-cocks manufactured by the Ace Manufacturing Company, shall be:

(1) On sales to consumers:		Each
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with copper hush tube		\$1.95
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with plastic hush tube		2.10
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock without hush tube		1.80
(2) On sales to plumbing and heating contractors, installers, commercial and industrial users:		
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with copper hush tube		1.45
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with plastic hush tube		1.55
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock without hush tube		1.35
(3) On sales to plumbing and heating jobbers:		
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with copper hush tube		1.08
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock with plastic hush tube		1.15
Ace Quality brass anti-syphon ball-cock without hush tube		1.00

(b) The maximum prices specified in (a) (3) above are subject to the following discounts and allowances:

	Percent
Broken lots (less than 50 pieces)	
Lots of 50 and 100 pieces	
Lots of 150 and 200 pieces	2½
with freight prepaid to any destination in the United States.	
Lots of 250 to 1000 pieces, in multiples of 50 pieces	10-2½
with freight prepaid to any destination in the United States.	
Lots of 1050 pieces up to carload lots in multiples of 50 pieces	10-2½-3
with freight prepaid to any destination in the United States.	
Carload lots or more	10-2½-3-2
with freight prepaid to any destination in the United States.	

(c) In addition to the discounts and allowances enumerated in (b) above, the maximum prices established by this Order shall be subject to such further discounts, allowances including transportation allowances, and the rendition of services which are at least as favorable as those which each seller extended or rendered or would have extended or rendered to purchasers of the same class on comparable sales or similar commodities during March 1942.

(d) The maximum prices for sales on an installed basis of the commodities covered by this Order shall be determined in accordance with Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 251.

(e) Ace Manufacturing Company of Los Angeles, California, shall notify each of its purchasers at or before the time of the first invoice of the maximum prices established by this order for the Ace Manufacturing Company on sales to such purchasers, and the maximum resale prices established for such purchasers.

(f) The Ace Manufacturing Company shall attach a tag to each of the commodities covered by this order and shall print in a conspicuous place on the tag the maximum price to consumers established by this order and shall identify such price as the maximum price to the consumer.

(g) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

This order shall become effective April 7, 1945.

Issued this 6th day of April 1945.

JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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[MPR 478, Order 139]

ATLANTIC MERCANTILE CO.

AUTHORIZATION OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to section 10 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 478, It is ordered:

(a) The maximum price for sales of the following coated fabric, converted by the Atlantic Mercantile Company, 109-123 West 64th Street, New York, New York, shall be as follows:

Description

35/36" 64 x 56 4.85 printed sheeting with 2½ oz. dry weight of clear pyroxylin coating, \$0.3212 per linear yard.

(b) With or prior to the first delivery to any person other than a cutter of the fabric covered by this order, the seller shall notify such person in writing that the maximum price for any resale of this fabric is that set forth in (a) above.

(c) All provisions of Maximum Price Regulation No. 478 not inconsistent with this order shall apply to sales covered by this order.

(d) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

This order shall become effective April 7, 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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[RMPR 499, Order 12]

WAKMANN WATCH CO. AND ROBOT
WATCH CO.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed

with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to sections 8 and 14 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation 499, it is ordered:

(a) *Effect of this order.* This order establishes maximum prices for all sales by the classes of sellers named of certain Enicar waterproof watches when imported by either Wakmann Watch Company, 452 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, or Robot Watch Company, 580 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, both of which are hereinafter called the "importer".

(b) *Maximum prices.* The maximum prices for sales of the imported Enicar watches covered by this order and described below are as follows:

Description	Maximum prices			
	Importer to wholesaler	Importer to retailer	Wholesaler to retailer	At retail including Federal Excise Tax
Enicar 17J 10½ & 11¼L shockproof, sweep second hand, nickel-chrome steel back waterproof case, radium dial, push pins.				
Without straps or boxes.	\$16.00	\$18.50	\$20.80	\$42.50
Strapped but without individual boxes.	16.50	19.00	21.45	46.00
With strap and good quality box.	17.00	19.65	22.10	45.00

The maximum prices listed above for sales by the importer are f. o. b. New York, New York and are subject to terms of 2% 10 days. The maximum prices established for sales by wholesalers are f. o. b. wholesaler's city, and are subject to terms of 2% 30 days.

No charge may be added to the above maximum retail prices for the extension of credit. These retail prices include the Federal Excise Tax of 10%.

(c) *Notification.* Any person who sells the above watches to a purchaser for resale shall notify each purchaser at the time of first sale after the effective date of this order of the maximum prices established by this order and shall include on every invoice covering a sale of these watches the following statement:

OPA Order No. 12 under RMPR 499 establishes the maximum prices at which you may sell these watches.

This notification requirement supersedes the notification requirement in section 12 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation 499 with respect to watches covered by this order.

(d) *Tagging.* The importer shall include with every watch covered by this order delivered to a purchaser for resale after its effective date, a tag or label setting forth the maximum retail price of the particular watch. This tag or label must not be removed until the watch is sold to an ultimate consumer.

(e) This order may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

(f) Unless the context otherwise requires, the definitions set forth in section 2 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation 499 shall apply to the terms used herein.

This order shall become effective April 7, 1945.

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JAMES G. ROGERS, Jr.,
Acting Administrator.

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Regional and District Office Orders.

[Region III Order G-54 Under RMPR 122, Amdt. 1]

SOLID FUELS IN MIDLAND, MICH., AREA

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith, and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of Region III of the Office of Price Administration by § 1340.260 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122; It is hereby ordered, That Parts II and VI of paragraph (c) (1) of Order No. G-54 under Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 be amended to read as follows:

Column I

Column II

II. High Volatile Bituminous Coals from Producing District No. 4 (Ohio):

A. Lump Size Group No. 1 (larger than 5") from Subdistrict No. 1 (Eastern Ohio).....\$7.95

B. Lump or Egg, Size Group No. 2 (lump, larger than 2" but not exceeding 5"; egg, bottom size larger than 2").....9.65

VI. Briquettes (low volatile)

A. From Glen Rogers, West Virginia.....11.85

B. All Others.....11.60

This Amendment 1 to Order No. G-54 under Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 shall become effective March 8, 1945.

Issued: March 8, 1945.

CLIFFORD J. HOUSER,
Acting Regional Administrator.

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[Region V Rev. Order G-1 Under RMPR 122]

SOLID FUELS IN ST. LOUIS, MO., AND PARTS OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MO.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of Region V by § 1340.260 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 and for reasons stated in the Opinion issued herewith, It is ordered, That Order No. G-1 under Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 (Maximum prices for solid fuels sold in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, and parts of St. Louis County, Missouri), as amended, in redesignated Revised Order No. G-1 and is revised and amended to read, as follows:

(a) *What this revised order does.* This revised order establishes maximum prices for sales of specified solid fuels delivered at or to any point in the Greater St. Louis, Missouri, Metropolitan Area. These are the highest prices that any dealer may charge when he sells or delivers any of such fuel at or to a point in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, or in that part of the County of St. Louis, Missouri, lying between the corporate

limits of the City of St. Louis and the following described boundary line: Commencing at the Chain of Rocks Bridge, thence west along Missouri State Highway No. 77 to Lindbergh Boulevard, thence south along Lindbergh Boulevard to the northern boundary of the City of Kirkwood, Missouri, thence along the northern, western, and southern boundaries of the City of Kirkwood, Missouri, to Lindbergh Boulevard, thence south and east along Lindbergh Boulevard to the western boundary of Jefferson Barracks, thence north and east along the boundary of Jefferson Barracks to the Mississippi River. The boundary line so described shall be construed as following the center of the public highways named.

(1) *Solid fuels not covered by this revised order.* There are a few kinds and sizes of solid fuels covered by Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 sold and delivered in the area covered by this revised order which are not included in and for which prices are not established in this revised order. The maximum prices of such solid fuels when sold by any person covered by this revised order shall continue to be the maximum prices for such fuels established by Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122, as amended. Such sales shall in all respects be governed by the provisions of Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122, as amended.

(b) *What this revised order prohibits.* Regardless of any obligation no person shall:

(1) Sell, or in the course of trade or business buy, solid fuels at prices higher than the maximum prices set by this revised order No. G-1; but less than the maximum prices may at any time be charged, paid or offered.

(2) Obtain higher than maximum prices by:

(i) Charging for a service unless such service is expressly requested by the buyer and unless the seller is specifically authorized to do so by this revised order;

(ii) Charging a price higher than the schedule price for a service;

(iii) Using any tying agreement or requiring that the buyer purchase anything in addition to the fuel requested by him, except that a dealer may comply with requirements or standards with respect to deliveries which have been or may be issued by any agency of the United States Government; or

(iv). Using any other device by which a higher than maximum price is obtained directly or indirectly.

(c) *Price schedule.* (1) Below and a part of this paragraph is the maximum price schedule which sets forth maximum prices for sales by direct delivery of specified sizes, kinds, and quantities of solid fuels.

MAXIMUM PRICE SCHEDULE

Description of fuel	Maximum price per ton of 2,000 pounds
I. High volatile bituminous coal from district 10 (Illinois):	
(A) Belleville and DuQuoin subdistricts (price groups 10, 16 to 22, inclusive):	
1. Domestic lump and egg, bottom size larger than 2" (size groups 1, 2, and 3)—raw or washed.....	\$6.30

Description of fuel	Maximum price per ton of 2,000 pounds
I. High volatile bituminous coal from district 10 (Illinois)—Continued.	
2. Steam lump; egg, bottom size 1½" and smaller (size groups 4, 5 and 6) nut, bottom size larger than ¾", top size larger than 1½" but not exceeding 2" (size group 8), raw or washed.....	\$6.00
3. Chestnut and pea, bottom size larger than 10 mesh or 3/32"; top size 2" or less, (size groups 17 to 20 incl.) washed or air cleaned.....	5.85
4. Stoker, bottom size larger than 1 millimeter; top size 2" or less, (size groups 21, 22 and 28)—washed or air cleaned.....	5.75
5. Screenings, 2" or less, (size groups 23 and 24)—washed or air cleaned.....	5.65
6. Screenings, larger than ¾" x 0 but not exceeding 2" x 0, (size groups 13 and 14)—raw.....	5.50
7. Carbon, top size ¾" or less (size group 25)—washed or air cleaned.....	5.30
(B) DuQuoin Subdistrict (Price Group 11, only):	
1. Lump and egg, bottom size larger than 2", (size groups 1, 2 and 3)—raw or washed.....	7.10
2. Stoker, bottom size larger than 1 millimeter; top size 2" or less, (size groups 21, 22 and 28)—washed or air cleaned.....	6.65
(C) Central subdistrict (price groups 12, 13 and 23):	
1. Domestic and steam lump; egg, bottom size 1½" and smaller (size groups 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6), nut, bottom size larger than ¾", top size larger than 1½" but not exceeding 2" (size group 8)—raw or washed.....	6.30
2. Chestnut and pea, bottom size larger than 10 mesh or 3/32", top size 2" or less (size groups 17 to 20 incl.)—raw or washed.....	6.10
3. Stoker, bottom size larger than 1 millimeter; top size 2" or less, (size groups 21, 22 and 28)—washed or air cleaned.....	6.00
4. Screenings, 2" or less (size groups 23 and 24)—washed or air cleaned.....	5.90
5. Carbon, top size ¾" or less (size group 25)—washed or air cleaned.....	5.55
(D) Southern subdistrict (price groups 1, 2 and 8):	
1. Domestic lump and egg, bottom size larger than 2" (size groups 1, 2 and 3)—raw or washed.....	7.35
2. Steam lump; egg, bottom size 1½" and smaller, (size groups 4, 5 and 6) nut, bottom size larger than ¾", top size larger than 1½" but not exceeding 2" (size group 8)—raw or washed.....	7.10
3. Stoker, washed or air cleaned, bottom size, larger than 1 millimeter, top size 2" or less, (size groups 21, 22 and 28).....	7.00
4. Chestnut and pea, bottom size larger than 10 mesh or 3/32", top size 2" or less (size groups 17 to 20, incl.)—washed or air cleaned.....	6.70
5. Screenings, 2" or less (size groups 23 and 24) washed or air cleaned.....	6.45
6. Carbon, top size ¾" or less (size group 25) washed. Screenings, larger than ¾" x 0, but not exceeding 2" x 0 (size groups 13 and 14)—raw.....	6.35

Description of fuel	Maximum price per ton of 2,000 pounds
II. High volatile coal from district 11 (Indiana) (price groups 15 and 16):	
1. Block or lump, bottom size larger than 2" (size groups 1, 2, and 3).....	\$7.60
III. Low volatile bituminous coal from districts 1, 7 and 8 (Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia):	
1. Lump; egg, bottom size larger than 3", price classification "A" from districts 7 and 8 only.....	10.50
2. Lump; egg, bottom size larger than 3", all price classifications other than "A" from districts 7 and 8, and all price classifications from district 1. Stove, top size 3" to larger than 1½", bottom size smaller than 3", all price classifications, districts 1, 7 and 8.....	10.10
3. Nut, top size 1½" to larger than ¾", bottom size smaller than 1½".....	9.50
4. Domestic run-of-mine.....	9.90
IV. Pennsylvania Anthracite:	
1. Egg, stove and nut.....	15.35
2. Pea.....	13.80
3. Buckwheat.....	12.50
V. Coke:	
1. Egg, by-product, top size 3", bottom size 2½" (produced in St. Louis, Missouri).....	12.15
2. Furnace; stove, by-product, top size 2½", bottom size 1½" (produced in St. Louis, Missouri).....	11.65
3. Chestnut, by-product, top size 1½", bottom size ¾" (produced in St. Louis, Missouri).....	11.65
4. Low temperature, top size no limit, bottom size ¾" (produced in St. Clair and Franklin Counties, Illinois).....	9.30
VI. Briquettes:	
1. Made in Arkansas from District 14 low volatile bituminous coal.....	12.10
2. Made from District 7 low volatile bituminous coal:	
(a) Glen Rogers.....	11.65
(b) Berwind.....	11.40
3. Made in Illinois from Southern Illinois high volatile coal.....	8.00

(2) The prices set forth in the foregoing schedule are on a per ton basis and apply to sales of the specified fuels in quantities of two tons or more.

(3) On sales of one ton, or more, but less than two tons, the dealer may add an additional charge not to exceed 50¢ per ton to the schedule price.

(4) On sales of less than one ton, except sales covered by paragraph (e) below, the dealer may add an additional charge not to exceed \$1.00 per ton to the schedule price.

(d) *Discounts and service charges.*

(1) Below is a schedule setting forth discounts and special service charges which must be deducted from or which may be added to the maximum prices covering sales of solid fuels described in paragraph (c). The service charges may be added only if the buyer requests such services of the dealer and only when the dealer renders the service.

(2) A discount of 25¢ per ton shall be made from the prices shown in the schedule when complete payment is made for a delivery of solid fuel at time of delivery to a consumer.

(3) On sales of solid fuel by one dealer to another dealer, the maximum price shall be \$1.75 per ton under the price of the fuel set forth in the foregoing schedule.

(4) On sales to commercial and industrial users, a discount of 75¢ per ton shall

be applied to the prices set forth in the foregoing schedule. A commercial or industrial user, for the purposes of this order, shall mean any person who purchases for use, fifty or more tons of solid fuel per annum.

(5) The prices set forth in the foregoing schedule are for untreated coal. A charge of 10¢ per ton may be added to these prices when such coal is thoroughly and adequately treated chemically or with oil to allay dust or prevent freezing.

(6) For the service of job, carry, or wheel-in, the dealer may charge a maximum price of 75¢ per ton on all solid fuels, except coke.

(7) On sales of coke, the dealer may charge not to exceed \$1.00 per ton for job, carry, or wheel-in service.

(e) On sales of low volatile coal, bottom size 3/4" or larger, in quantities less than 1/2 ton delivered, the maximum price shall be 50¢ per bushel of a minimum weight of 80 pounds.

(f) *Transportation tax, Missouri State sales tax.*—(1) *The transportation tax.* The transportation tax imposed by section 620 of the Revenue Act of 1942 may be collected in addition to the maximum prices set out by this revised order provided the dealer states it separately from the price of the fuel and lists it separately on any invoice, sales slip or receipt given to the buyer. (This tax need not be stated separately on sales to the United States or any agency thereof. See Amendment 12 to Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122). No part of this tax may be collected in addition to maximum prices on sales of 1/4 ton or lesser quantities.

(2) *The Missouri sales tax.* The seller may add to the prices listed in the schedule in paragraph (c) the sales tax required to be collected by the laws of the State of Missouri. This tax shall be separately stated in the dealer's invoice, sales slip or receipt.

(g) *Addition of increase in supplier's prices prohibited.* (1) The maximum prices set out by this revised order may not be increased by a dealer to reflect increases in purchase costs or in supplier's maximum prices occurring after the effective date hereof; but increases in the maximum prices set hereby to reflect such increases are within the discretion of the Regional Administrator.

(h) *Power to amend or revoke.* (1) The Price Administrator or the Regional Administrator of Region V may amend, revoke, or rescind this revised order, or any provision thereof, at any time.

(i) *Petitions for amendment.* (1) Any person seeking an amendment to this revised order may file a petition for amendment in accordance with Revised Procedural Regulation No. 1 except that the petition shall be filed with the Regional Administrator and acted upon by him.

(j) *License.* (1) Every dealer subject to this revised order is governed by the licensing provisions of Supplementary Order No. 72, which provides that a license is required of all persons selling at retail commodities for which maximum prices are established. A license is automatically granted. It is not necessary to apply for the license, but a

dealer may later be required to register. The license may be suspended for violation in connection with the sale of any commodity for which maximum prices are established. If a dealer's license is suspended, he may not sell any such commodity during the period of suspension.

(k) *Sales slips and receipts; records.*

(1) Every person selling solid fuels subject to this revised order shall, either at the time of, or within thirty days after the date of a sale or delivery of solid fuels governed by this revised order, give to his purchaser an invoice, sales slip or receipt, and shall keep an exact copy thereof for so long as Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 is in effect or for so long as the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, shall permit, whichever period is longer, showing the following information: the name and address of the seller and the purchaser; the kind, size and quantity of the solid fuels sold, the date of the sale or delivery and the price charged. In addition, he shall separately state on each such invoice, sales slip or receipt, the amount, if any, of the required discounts, authorized service charges and taxes which must be deducted from or which may be added to the established maximum prices: *Provided*, That a dealer who is authorized to make a special service charge for chemical or oil treatment of coal need not separately state the amount of such service charge if he clearly indicates on the invoice that such coal is so treated: *And provided further*, That provisions of this Section shall not apply to sales of solid fuel in less than quarter ton lots unless requested by the purchaser.

(l) *Posting of maximum prices.* (1) Each dealer subject to this revised order shall post all the maximum prices set by it for all types of sales. He shall post his prices in his place of business in a manner plainly visible to and understandable by the purchasing public. He shall also keep a copy of this revised order available for examination by any person inquiring as to his prices for solid fuels.

(m) *Enforcement.* (1) Persons violating any provision of this revised order are subject to civil and criminal penalties, including suits for treble damages, provided for by the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended.

(2) Persons who have any evidence of any violation of this revised order are urged to communicate with the St. Louis, Missouri, District Office of the Office of Price Administration.

(n) *Definitions and explanations.* (1) "Person" includes an individual, corporation, partnership, association, or any other organized group of persons, or legal successor or representative of any of the foregoing, and includes the United States, or any agency thereof, or any other government, or any of its political subdivisions or any agency of any of the foregoing.

(2) "Sell" includes sell, supply, dispose, barter, exchange, lease, transfer, and deliver, and contracts and offers to do any of the foregoing. The term "sale", "selling", "sold", "buy", "purchase", and "purchaser" shall be construed accordingly.

(3) "Dealer" means any person selling solid fuel except producers or distributors making sales at or from a mine, a preparation plant operated as an adjunct of any mine, a coke oven, or a briquette plant.

(4) "Direct delivery" means dumping or chuting the fuel from the seller's truck directly into the buyer's bin or storage space, but if this is impossible, the term means discharging the fuel directly from the seller's truck at the point nearest and most accessible to the buyer's bin or storage space.

(5) "Job," "carry," and "wheel-in" mean the movement or transportation of fuel to the buyer's bin or storage space from the vehicle in which delivery is made or from the point at which the fuel was dumped or unloaded in the course of direct delivery.

(6) "District No." refers to the geographical bituminous coal-producing districts as delineated and numbered by the Bituminous Coal Act of 1937, as amended, as they have been modified by the Bituminous Coal Division and as in effect at midnight, August 23, 1943.

(7) "High volatile bituminous coal" means coal produced in the high volatile sections of the producing districts specified herein.

(8) "Low volatile bituminous coal" means coal containing no higher than 23% volatile matter.

(9) "Price groups" and "size groups", as used in this Revised Order, refer to the price groups and size groups established by the Bituminous Coal Division pursuant to the Bituminous Coal Act of 1937, as amended, and as in effect at midnight, August 23, 1943, or as defined in Maximum Price Regulations issued by the Office of Price Administration on or after that date.

(10) "Solid fuel" (or "solid fuels") means all solid fuels except wood and wood products, including all kinds of anthracite and semi-anthracite; bituminous and semi-bituminous and cannel coal; lignite; all coke, including low temperature coke (except by-product foundry and blast furnace coke, and bee-hive oven furnace coke produced in the State of Pennsylvania); briquettes made from coal or coke; and sea coal used for foundry facings.

(11) "Egg, Stove, Nut", etc. sizes of bituminous coal refer to the sizes of such coal as defined in the Bituminous Coal Act of 1937, as amended, and as prepared at the mine in accordance with the applicable minimum price schedules promulgated by the Bituminous Coal Division of the United States Department of the Interior, and in effect (or established) as of midnight, August 23, 1943, or as defined in maximum price regulations issued by the Office of Price Administration on and after that date.

Where the minimum price schedules do not make specific mention of any size designated in this revised order, such size designations shall refer to the sizes of bituminous coal sold as such in the St. Louis metropolitan area during December, 1941.

(12) Except as otherwise specifically provided herein or as the context may otherwise require, the definitions set forth in § 1340.255 and § 1340.266 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 as

amended, shall apply to the terms used herein.

(c) *Effect of this revised order on Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122.* (1) To the extent applicable, the provisions of this revised order supersede Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122.

(Pub. Laws 421 and 729, 77th Congress; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871)

Issued at Dallas, Texas, and effective this 24th day of March 1945.

C. B. BRAUN,
Acting Regional Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5500; Filed, Apr. 4, 1945; 3:29 p. m.]

[Region V Order G-3 Under RMPR 122, Amdt. 2]

**SOLID FUELS IN TOPEKA, KANS. AND
SHAWNEE COUNTY, KANS.**

Pursuant to the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, and the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of Region V by § 1340.260 of Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 and for the reasons set forth in the Opinion issued simultaneously herewith; *It is ordered*, That Order No. G-3 under Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 be, and the same is, hereby amended as follows:

Paragraph (a) under subsection I, High volatile bituminous coal from district 10 (Illinois), of section (c) Price schedule, is amended to read, as follows:

- (a) Southern Illinois subdistrict (price groups 1, 2 and 8):
- (1) Lump and egg; (bottom size larger than 2", size groups 1, 2 and 3) ----- \$9.80
 - (2) Egg or nut, (top size 4" to larger than 2", bottom size 2" to larger than 1½" ----- 9.20

Subparagraph 5 of paragraph (a) under subsection III High volatile bituminous coal from district 15 (Missouri, Kansas, and Oklahoma) of section (c) Price schedule is amended to read, as follows:

- (5) Stoker (top size 1¼" and smaller, bottom size ¾" to larger than ¼") -- \$6.25

Paragraph (3) of section (c) Price schedule, is amended to read, as follows:

(3) The prices set forth in the foregoing schedule are for untreated coal. A charge of 10¢ per ton may be added to these prices when such coal is thoroughly and adequately treated with chemicals or oil to allay dust or prevent freezing.

Paragraph (1) of section (d), Service charges, is amended to read, as follows:

(1) Below and as a part of this paragraph (d) is a schedule that sets forth maximum prices which may be charged by dealers for special services rendered in connection with all sales under the preceding paragraph (c). These charges may be made only if the buyer requests such services of the dealer and only when the dealer renders the service.

Section (j) is redesignated and amended to read, as follows:

(j) *Sales slips and receipts; Records.*

(1) Every person selling solid fuels subject to this order shall, either at the time of, or within thirty days after the date of a sale or delivery of solid fuels governed by this order, give to his purchaser an invoice, sales slip or receipt, and shall keep an exact copy thereof for so long as Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 122 is in effect or for so long as the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, shall permit, whichever period is longer, showing the following information: the name and address of the seller and the purchaser, the kind, size and quantity of the solid fuels sold, the date of the sale or delivery, and the price charged. In addition, he shall separately state on each such invoice, sales slip or receipt, the amount, if any, of the required discounts, authorized service charges, and taxes which must be deducted from or which may be added to the established maximum prices; *Provided*, That a dealer who is authorized to make a special service charge for chemical or oil treatment of coal need not separately state the amount of such service charge if he clearly indicates on the invoice that such coal is so treated; *And further provided*, That provisions of this section shall not apply to sales of solid fuels in less than quarter ton lots unless requested by the purchaser.

Section (k) is redesignated and amended to read as follows:

(k) *Posting of maximum prices.* (1) Each dealer subject to this order shall post all of the maximum prices set by it for all types of sales. He shall post his prices in his place of business in a manner plainly visible to and understandable by the purchasing public. He shall also keep a copy of this order available for examination by any person inquiring as to his prices for solid fuel.

Paragraph (2) under section (k) is hereby revoked.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; 57 Stat. 566, Pub. Law 383, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued at Dallas, Texas, and effective this 21st day of March 1945.

W. A. ORTH,
Regional Administrator.

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[Region III Order G-40 Under MPR 329, Corr.]

FLUID MILK IN OHIO

Order No. G-40 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, "Purchases of milk from producers for resale as fluid milk, adjustment of the maximum prices milk distributors may pay producers in the State of Ohio", contains certain typographical errors in sections (a), (d), (e), (f) and (j). In these sections it is provided that an addition may be made in the amount of " * * * 5% for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 3.5% * * * ". It was intended, and the order should read, that such addition should be " * * * 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 3.5% * * * ".

Accordingly, said sections (a), (d), (e), (f) and (j) are hereby corrected to read as follows:

(a) Any milk distributor in the Counties of Darke, Defiance, Fulton, Henry, Mercer, Paulding, Putnam, Van Wert and Williams in the State of Ohio may pay to producers for "milk" an amount not to exceed \$3.30 per cwt., f. o. b. plant for milk of 3.5% butterfat content, plus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 3.5% and minus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation under 3.5%; *Provided, however*, That such milk distributors shall be subject to the express restrictions of § 1351.402 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, except as is permitted in Order No. G-33 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329.

(d) Any milk distributor in the Counties of Athens, Scioto and Washington in the State of Ohio may pay to producers for "milk" an amount not to exceed \$3.70 per cwt., f. o. b. plant, for milk of 4% butterfat content, plus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 4% and minus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation under 4%; *Provided, however*, That such milk distributors shall be subject to the express restrictions of § 1351.422 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, except as is permitted in Order No. G-33 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329.

(e) Any milk distributor in the County of Franklin in the State of Ohio may pay to producers for "milk" an amount not to exceed \$3.50 per cwt., f. o. b. plant for milk of 4% butterfat content, plus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 4% and minus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation under 4%; *Provided, however*, That such milk distributors shall be subject to the express restrictions of § 1351.402 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, except as is permitted in Order No. G-33 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329.

(f) Any milk distributor in the Counties of Logan, Miami and Shelby in the State of Ohio may pay to producers for "milk" an amount not to exceed \$3.60 per cwt., f. o. b. plant for milk of 4% butterfat content, plus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 4% and minus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation under 4%; *Provided, however*, That such milk distributors shall be subject to the express restrictions of § 1351.402 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, except as is permitted in Order No. G-33 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329.

(j) Any milk distributor in the County of Hamilton in the State of Ohio may pay to producers for "milk" an amount not to exceed \$3.80 per cwt., f. o. b. plant for milk of 4% butterfat content, plus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation over 4% and minus 5¢ for each 1/10 of 1% butterfat variation under 4%; *Provided, however*, That such milk distributors shall be subject to the express restrictions of § 1351.402 (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 329, except as is permitted in

Order No. G-33 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 329.

This correction shall become effective March 19, 1945.

Issued: March 19, 1945.

Action recommended by

CLIFFORD J. HOUSER,
Acting Regional Administrator.

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[Region VI Order G-4 Under MPR 154]

ICE IN FORT MADISON, IOWA

For the reasons set forth in the accompanying Opinion, and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of the Office of Price Administration by § 1393.8 (c) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 154, it is ordered:

(a) *Maximum distributor prices.* The maximum prices for delivered sales of ice by distributors purchasing their ice from the Artesian Ice Company, Fort Madison, Iowa, shall be as follows:

	Cents per 100 pounds
First 1,000 pounds per month.....	49
1,000 pounds to 3,000 pounds per month.....	45
3,000 pounds to 5,000 pounds per month.....	39
5,000 pounds to 7,000 pounds per month.....	34
7,000 pounds.....	29

(2) Sales at retail delivered:

	Cents
100 pounds.....	49
75 pounds.....	37
50 pounds.....	25
25 pounds.....	13

In addition to the prices set forth in this paragraph, the sellers may add the 2% sales tax provided by the laws of the State of Iowa.

(b) *Reports.* Each distributor selling ice under the provisions of this order shall not later than January 15, 1946, submit to the Regional Office of the Office of Price Administration, 226 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois, a profit and loss statement on his operations for the calendar year 1945. No distributor who has failed to file such report with the Regional Office shall sell ice at the prices set forth in this order on and after January 31, 1946. Such distributor thereafter shall make sales of ice at the maximum prices established for him which were in effect prior to the effective date of this order.

(c) *Definitions.* (1) "Delivered" means delivered to the physical premises of the purchaser.

(2) "Distributor" means any distributor of ice who purchases the major portion of his ice from the Artesian Ice Company, Fort Madison, Iowa.

(3) Except as otherwise provided herein, or as the context may otherwise require, the definitions set forth in Maximum Price Regulation No. 154 shall apply to the terms used herein.

(d) *Applicability.* This order applies to all ice delivered to any consumer's premises by any distributor who purchases his ice from the Artesian Ice Company, Fort Madison, Iowa.

All provisions of Maximum Price Regulation No. 154, except as modified

herein, shall be and remain in full force and effect and shall be applicable to all sales of ice provided for in this order.

This order may be revoked, corrected or amended at any time.

This order shall become effective March 26, 1945.

Issued this 22d day of March 1945.

RAE E. WALTERS,
Regional Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 45-5490; Filed, Apr. 4, 1945;
3:26 p. m.]

[Region VIII Order G-1 Under Order 68
Under Max. Import Price Reg.]

BITUMINOUS CANADIAN COAL IN SAN FRANCISCO REGION

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of Region VIII of the Office of Price Administration by Order 68, as amended, under section 21 of the Maximum Import Price Regulation, and under the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, it is hereby ordered.

(a) *Transactions covered.* (1) No "importer" may purchase "Canadian bituminous coal" for resale in "Region VIII" at a price higher than the maximum price prescribed in the Appendix.

(2) No importer may sell Canadian bituminous coal for delivery in Region VIII, and no person in the course of trade or business shall buy or take delivery thereof in Region VIII, at a price higher than the maximum price prescribed in the appendix.

(b) *Enforcement.* Any person violating any provision of this order is subject to the criminal penalties, civil enforcement actions, license suspension provisions, and suits for treble damages provided for by the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended.

(c) *Definitions.* As used in this order the term:

(1) "Canadian bituminous coal" means bituminous coal produced in the Dominion of Canada, including high volatile coal and coal known to the trade and classified as sub-bituminous A, of the sizes, kinds, and types described in the appendix.

(2) "Region VIII" means the states of Washington, Oregon (except Malheur County), California, Nevada, and Arizona, except those portions of Coconino County and Mohave County lying north of the Colorado River; and the following counties in the State of Idaho: Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Clearwater, Kootenai, Latah, Lewis, Nez Perce, Shoshone, and Idaho.

(3) "Importer" means a person meeting the definition thereof in section 9 of the Maximum Import Price Regulation, and also includes a selling agent who is deemed to be an importer under the provisions of section 1 (b) of the Maximum Import Price Regulation.

(4) "Ton" means 2,000 pounds net weight.

(d) *Applicability to the Maximum Import Price Regulation.* Except as otherwise specifically provided herein the Maximum Import Price Regulation ap-

plies to all persons and transactions covered by this order.

(e) *Petitions for amendment.* Any person seeking an amendment of any provisions of this order may file a petition for amendment in accordance with the provisions of Revised Procedural Regulation No. 1, except that the petition shall be directed to the Regional Administrator and filed with the Eighth Regional Office, Office of Price Administration, San Francisco 3, California.

(f) This order may be revoked, amended, or corrected at any time.

This order becomes effective March 17, 1945.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; 57 Stat. 566; Pub. Law 383, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 12th day of March 1945.

GEORGE MONCHARSH,
Acting Regional Administrator.

APPENDIX A
TABLE I—"CROW FIELD"

Size of coal		Maximum importer's purchase price	Maximum importer's sales price
Lump.....	Single screened lump coals, bottom size 4" or larger.	\$5.00	\$5.40
Furnace.....	Double screened coals, top size 4" or larger, but not exceeding 8", bottom size 1 1/2" or larger but not exceeding 2".	5.00	5.40
Stove-pea.....	Double screened coals, top size 1 1/2" or larger but not exceeding 2", bottom size 1" or larger but not exceeding 1 1/2".	4.20	4.60
Stoker-pea.....	Double screened coals, top size 1 1/2" or larger but not exceeding 1 1/2", bottom size 1/2" or larger but not exceeding 1 1/4".	4.00	4.40
Stoker.....	Double screened coals, top size 1", bottom size 3/4" or larger but not exceeding 1 1/4".	3.60	4.00
Steam.....	Slack coals larger than 1 x 0" but not exceeding 2 x 0".	3.45	3.70
Slack WW.....	Slack coals, water washed, 3/4 x 0" but not exceeding 1 x 0".	3.25	3.50
Slack.....	Slack coals not exceeding 3/4 x 0".	3.00	3.25
Mine run.....	Mine run and resultant coals larger than 3/4 x 0".	4.10	4.35

NOTE: The producers in the Crow Field to whose coals the above maximum prices in Table I are applicable are: Crows' Nest Pass Coal Company, Hillcrest-Mohawk Collieries, McGillivray Coal and Coke Company, Ltd., West Canadian Collieries, and International Coal & Coke Company.

The above maximum prices are expressed in American funds.

TABLE II—"LETHBRIDGE-TABER FIELD"

Size of coal	Maximum importer's purchase price	Maximum importer's sales price
Lump 4" plus.....	\$4.60	\$5.05
Egg 4 x 2".....	3.45	3.85
Pea 2 x 1", 1 1/4 x 3/4".....	2.05	2.45
Stoker 1 1/4 x 1/4", 1 x 3/4".....	2.30	2.70
Slack 1 1/2 x 0".....	1.75	2.00

NOTE: The producers in the Lethbridge-Taber Field to whose coals the above maximum prices in Table II are applicable are: Lethbridge Collieries, Continental Coal Corporation, Ltd., and Great West Coal Company.

The above maximum prices are expressed in American funds.

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[Region VIII Rev. Order G-6 Under MPR 418, Amdt. 7]

FRESH FISH AND SEAFOOD IN SAN FRANCISCO REGION

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of the Office of Price Administration by section 2 (d) and section 22 (a) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 418, as amended; *It is hereby ordered*, That Revised Order No. G-6 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 418 be amended in the following particulars:

1. Paragraph (c) is hereby amended to read as follows:

(c) *General provisions.* The provisions of Maximum Price Regulation No. 418, as amended, contained in section 7 (maximum prices for retail sales by producers and wholesalers), section 11 (sales to Governmental Agencies), section 14 (relation to other regulations), Article II (record keeping and enforcement), Article III (miscellaneous provisions), apply to this order to the extent that they are applicable.

2. Appendix I is hereby amended by deleting the schedule opposite "California Halibut" (Item No. 2) and substituting the attached schedule.

3. Appendix II, Table A, is hereby amended by deleting the words "All in Oregon & Washington (3)" under the heading Port of Entry (2) opposite Crab (Live) and substituting the words "All in Oregon (3)".

4. This amendment shall become effective February 28, 1945.

Issued this 26th day of February 1945.

CHAS. R. BAIRD,
Regional Administrator.

APPENDIX I

Species	Item No.	Basing points	Style of dressing	Maximum prices per pound					
				Table A— Ports of entry, southern California		Table B— Ports of entry, southern California		Table D— Ports of entry, southern California	
				Apr.— Sept.	Oct.— Mar.	Apr.— Sept.	Oct.— Mar.	Apr.— Sept.	Oct.— Mar.
California Halibut.	2	San Diego..... San Pedro..... Santa Barbara.....	Round.....	\$0.11	\$0.1475	\$0.135	\$0.1725	\$0.16	\$0.1975
			Drawn.....	.13	.1725	.155	.1975	.18	.2225
			Dressed.....	.1475	.1975	.1725	.2225	.1975	.2525
			Dressed collars off.....		.1875	.245	.2125		.275
			Steaks.....			.205	.2675	.235	.2975
			Fillet.....			.27	.35	.30	.385

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[Region VIII Order G-22 Under 3 (e)]

IMPORTED FOREST WOOD IN KITSAP, KING, JEFFERSON, AND CLALLAM COUNTIES, WASH.

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of the Office of Price Administration by § 1499.3 (e) (2) of the General Maximum Price Regulation, *It is hereby ordered*:

(a) The maximum prices at which retailers, located in the areas described below, whose maximum prices would otherwise be established under §§ 1499.3 (a) or 1499.3 (c) of the General Maximum Price Regulation, may sell and deliver forest wood imported from Canada, shall be the prices provided in the appropriate table set forth below, which prices shall be subject to the retail sellers' customary discounts and differentials, including the discount for prompt payment and the discount for sales of multiple cords:

TABLE I

This table shall be applicable to retail sellers located in Kitsap County, Washington.

Item	Maximum price per cord
Imported Old Growth Forest Wood in lengths of 16 inches or less.....	\$15.00
Imported Second Growth Forest Wood in lengths of 16 inches or less.....	14.50

TABLE II

This table shall be applicable to retail dealers in Jefferson and Clallam Counties, Washington.

Item	Maximum price per cord
Imported Old Growth Forest Wood in lengths of 16 inches or less.....	\$13
Imported Second Growth Forest Wood in lengths of 16 inches or less.....	12

TABLE III

This table shall be applicable to retail dealers in King County, Washington.

Item	Maximum price per cord
Imported Old Growth Forest Wood in 16 inch lengths or less.....	\$15
Imported Second Growth Forest Wood in lengths of 16 inches or less.....	14

(b) *Definitions.* When used in this order the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:

(1) "Imported forest wood" means old growth and second growth forest wood which has been imported into the United States from Canada for firewood purposes.

(2) "Cord" means 128 cubic feet of stacked wood or 192 cubic feet loose measure.

(3) "Sale at retail" means a sale or selling to an ultimate consumer other than an industrial or commercial user,

(c) *Invoices and records.* Every person making a sale of firewood for which a maximum price is set by this order shall give the purchaser or his agent at the time of the sale an invoice or other memorandum of sale which shall show:

- (1) The date of sale.
- (2) The name and address of the buyer and seller.
- (3) The quantity of firewood sold.
- (4) Description of firewood sold in the same manner as it is described in this order.
- (5) Place of sale.
- (6) The total price of the wood.

The seller shall keep an exact copy of such invoice or memorandum of sale for so long as the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, remains in effect. Such copy shall be made available for inspection by the Office of Price Administration.

(d) This order may be revoked, amended, or corrected at any time.

This order shall become effective this 19th day of March 1945.

Issued this 14th day of March 1945.

GEORGE MONCHARSH,
Acting Regional Administrator.

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[Region VIII Order G-23 Under 3 (e)]

NORGE ELECTRIC RANGES IN SAN FRANCISCO REGION

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith, and under the authority vested in the Regional Administrator of the Office of Price Administration by § 1499.3 (e) (2) of the General Maximum Price Regulation; *It is hereby ordered*:

(a) The maximum price for sales to retailers and at retail of Norge Electric Range, Model E400, by sellers subject to the General Maximum Price Regulation, who cannot determine their maximum prices under § 1499.2 of the General Maximum Price Regulation, shall be as follows:

(1) To retailers, \$126.50, including excise tax, f. o. b. San Francisco or Los Angeles, terms net 30 days.

(2) At retail, \$205.00, including excise tax, less discounts, allowances and price differentials no less favorable than those customarily granted by the seller; this price includes installation services and all other services customarily furnished by the seller on sales of similar commodities during March, 1942.

(b) This order shall apply to sales in the State of California, and the State of Nevada.

(c) This order may be corrected, amended or revoked at any time.

(d) This order shall become effective March 21, 1945.

Issued this 19th day of March 1945.

CHAS. R. BAIRD,
Regional Administrator.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

[File No. 52-24]

MIDLAND UNITED CO., AND MIDLAND UTILITIES CO.

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER
RELEASING JURISDICTION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 5th day of April 1945.

On October 24, 1944, the Commission approved a modified plan for the reorganization of Midland United Company and its subsidiary, Midland Utilities Company, filed jointly under section 11 (f) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 by Hugh M. Morris, Trustee of the Estate of Midland United Company, a registered holding company, and Clarence A. Southerland and Jay Samuel Hartt, Trustees of the Estate of Midland Utilities Company, also a registered holding company (Holding Company Act Release No. 5317A). The Modified Plan has also been approved by the District Court of the United States for the District of Delaware having jurisdiction over the proceedings in respect of both companies under the Bankruptcy Act.¹

The Modified Plan provides for the reorganization of both Midland United Company and Midland Utilities Company, and for the selection of five persons to serve on the initial board of directors of both companies until the first annual meeting of stockholders following the consummation of the Modified Plan and until the election and qualification of their successors. In our order of October 24, 1944, approving the Modified Plan, we approved the selection of Hamilton Allport and Willis D. Gale as two of such five persons, and reserved jurisdiction to pass upon the qualifications and methods of selection of the remaining three persons.

The Trustees of the two estates, in accordance with the terms of the Modified Plan which provides that the remaining three persons were to be designated jointly by them, have filed an amendment to the Modified Plan wherein they have proposed the following persons:

Person and Principal Business Connections

Leo J. Sheridan, President, J. L. Sheridan & Company, which is engaged in general real estate and property management, and which manages several large office buildings located in the Chicago Loop area.

John H. Bickley, Certified Public Accountant and a public utility consultant; formerly Associate Professor of Business and Finance Accounting at Lehigh University and for many years associated with various state and federal regulatory agencies.

Jay Samuel Hartt, one of the Trustees of the Estate of Midland Utilities Company; president of the Chicago South Shore and South Bend Railroad; a consulting engineer whose work since 1920 has included public utility operating surveys, valuations, rate studies and construction.

A public hearing was held after appropriate notice, and no one appeared in

opposition to the proposal of the Trustees. The record indicates that, prior to the selection of the foregoing persons, the Trustees of the two estates requested representatives of the various classes of security holders of Midland United Company and Midland Utilities Company to submit the names of persons to act as the initial directors. Acting on the basis of the results of such inquiries, the Trustees selected the persons named above, endeavoring in such selection to provide a board of directors which would best serve the interest of the reorganized companies.

None of the proposed members of the initial board of directors of the reorganized companies has had any previous connection with their management other than Jay Samuel Hartt, in his capacity as one of the Trustees of Midland Utilities Company. In view of the fact that the Trustees of the two estates and their organizations have completely displaced the management existing prior to the institution of the bankruptcy proceedings, we believe that the knowledge of the system and experience in its problems, which Hartt has thus acquired, renders his proposed connection with the reorganized companies appropriate.

We have examined the record in respect of the three persons proposed as initial directors, their qualifications, and the method of their selection, and we find no basis for any adverse findings with respect to such matters.

It is ordered, That the jurisdiction heretofore reserved over the qualifications and methods of selection of the three persons (in addition to Hamilton Allport and Willis D. Gale) who are to be members of the initial board of directors be, and hereby is, released.

It is further ordered, That the jurisdiction heretofore reserved over all other matters in respect of the Modified Plan of Reorganization and the consummation thereof be continued.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.[F. D. Doc. 45-5569; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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[File No. 70-1036]

OHIO EDISON CO.

ORDER PERMITTING DECLARATION TO BECOME
EFFECTIVE

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1945.

Ohio Edison Company, a registered holding company and a public-utility subsidiary of The Commonwealth & Southern Corporation, also a registered holding company, having filed a declaration and amendments thereto pursuant to sections 6 and 7 of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, regarding the issue and sale of \$26,089,000 of First Mortgage Bonds ----% Series of 1945, due 1975, in accordance with the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50 promulgated under the act, the proceeds, together with additional treasury funds, to be used to redeem the com-

pany's outstanding 3 3/4% First Mortgage Bonds in like principal amount; and

A public hearing having been held after appropriate notice, and the Commission having considered the record and having made and filed its findings and opinion herein:

It is ordered, That said declaration, as amended, be, and hereby is, permitted to become effective forthwith pursuant to section 7 of the act, subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in Rule U-24, to the condition that the proposed issuance and sale of securities shall not be consummated until the results of competitive bidding pursuant to Rule U-50 have been made a matter of record in this proceeding and a further order shall have been entered by the Commission in the light of the record so completed, which order may contain further terms and conditions as may then be deemed appropriate, jurisdiction being reserved for this purpose, and to the further condition that, so long as any of the new bonds or any of the bonds of the 3% Series of 1944 due 1974 or any of the 4.40% Preferred Stock shall remain outstanding, Ohio Edison Company will not declare or pay any dividends on its Common Stock (other than dividends payable in Common Stock) or make any distribution of assets to holders of Common Stock by purchase of shares or otherwise, in an amount which, when added to the aggregate of all such dividends and distributions subsequent to September 30, 1944 (i. e. the last day of the month in which the bonds of the 3% Series of 1944 due 1974 and the 4.40% Preferred Stock were issued), would exceed 75% of the consolidated net income of Ohio Edison Company and subsidiary companies earned subsequent to September 30, 1944, if, after the payment of any such dividend or the making of any such distribution, the aggregate of the par value of, or stated capital represented by, the outstanding shares of Common Stock of Ohio Edison Company and of the consolidated surplus of Ohio Edison Company and subsidiary companies would be less than an amount equal to 25% of the total consolidated capitalization and consolidated surplus of Ohio Edison Company and subsidiary companies as defined in the registration statement in respect of the First Mortgage Bonds ----% Series of 1945, due 1975, filed by Ohio Edison Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended;

It is further ordered, That the declarant's request for shortening of the ten-day period required by Rule U-50 (b) be and the same is hereby granted and that such period is shortened to not less than six days;

It is further ordered, That jurisdiction be and it is hereby reserved over the payment of all legal fees and expenses of all counsel in connection with the proposed transactions.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 45-5570; Filed, Apr. 6, 1945;
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¹An appeal has been taken to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

[File No. 70-1055]

CENTRAL NEW YORK POWER CORP.

NOTICE REGARDING FILING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on the 4th day of April 1945.

Notice is hereby given that a declaration has been filed with this Commission, pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder, by Central New York Power Corporation, a public utility subsidiary of Niagara Hudson Power Corporation and of The United Corporation, a registered holding company; and

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than April 20, 1945, at 5:30 p. m., e. w. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on said declaration stating the reasons for such request and the nature of his interest, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. At any time thereafter said declaration, as filed or as amended, may become effective as provided in Rule U-23 of the rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to said act, or the Commission may exempt the transactions therein proposed as provided in Rules U-20 (a) and U-100 thereof. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania.

All interested persons are referred to said declaration, which is on file in the office of this Commission, for a statement of the transactions therein proposed, which are summarized as follows:

Central New York Power Corporation proposes to purchase in the open market, from time to time during a period not to exceed one year from the date of this Commission's order permitting the declaration to become effective, part or all

of the following non-callable bonds of the corporation at or below the respective maximum prices indicated:

Title of issue	Principal amount outstanding	Proposed maximum purchase price
Northern New York Utilities Inc., first lien and refunding bonds, series B, due May 1, 1947 (6%).	\$1,292,000	Principal amount thereof and interest to date of maturity.
Syracuse Lighting Co., first mortgage 5 percent 50-year bonds, due June 1, 1951.	2,500,000	121% of principal amount thereof.

The proposed purchases are to be in addition to bonds acquired, pursuant to Rule U-42 (b) (4), in accordance with the requirements of indentures securing bonds of the corporation.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD.

[Special Order 1]

E. J. BUDD MANUFACTURING CO.

EXCEPTION TO PRICE POLICY FOR DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS AIRCRAFT

Regulation No. 4 of the Surplus War Property Administration (9 F.R. 1127) established pricing policies for the disposal of surplus aircraft and property peculiar to aircraft and also provided that cases for which no provision was made "should be referred to the Surplus War Property Administration, which, by direct action without amendment to this Regulation, may authorize exceptions, when in its opinion, the public interest

requires." Pursuant to such provision of Regulation No. 4 this order is issued by the Surplus Property Board, as successor to the Surplus War Property Administration, acting under the authority of the Surplus Property Act of 1944 (P. L. 457, 78th Congress, 2nd Sess.; 58 Stat. 765).

The Navy Department has declared surplus certain stainless steel cargo planes built by E. J. Budd Manufacturing Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The Navy's designation for this aircraft is RB-1 and it is known as the "Conestoga". In view of the small number of such planes which have been manufactured and of the limited quantity of spare parts which are available for their maintenance, the Board deems it in the public interest that they be disposed of by negotiated sale at the best price obtainable after wide public advertising.

It is hereby ordered, That:

1. Notwithstanding the provisions of SWPA Regulation No. 4, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the Foreign Economic Administration are authorized to dispose of surplus Budd RB-1 cargo planes, also known as "Conestoga", by negotiated sale at the highest price offered which is adequate in the light of a reasonable knowledge or test of the market, having due regard for the circumstances, nature, condition, quantity, and location of such planes.

2. Such sale shall be made only after wide public notice and a time interval between notice and sale adequate to give all interested purchasers a fair opportunity to buy.

This order shall become effective upon publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD,
By ALFRED E. HOWSE,
Administrator.

APRIL 5, 1945.

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